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BIRTHS.

FITZGERALD—May 11, 1926, at Seamount, Galway, to Mrs. Fitzgerald, wife of Edward Fitzgerald, Solicitor, Ballinrobe, County Mayo, a daughter.

HOLMES—May 17, 1926, at 89 Lower Baggot street, to Mr. and Mrs. George Holmes, of 59 Albert road, Sandycove, a son.

LAMBE—May 11, 1926, at Mrs. Doyle's Private Nursing Home, 12 Upper Leeson street, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Julian Lambe, a daughter.

McEVOY—May 11, 1926, at Mountmellick, to Mrs. S. McEvoy, widow of late Edward McEvoy, a son.

O'FLAHERTY—May 15, 1926, at 17 Herbert Park, Donnybrook, County Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. David O'Flaherty, a daughter.

TROTTER—May 19, 1926, at Netherfields, Skelds, Yorks, the wife of Edward Trotter, F.R.C.S., a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

GIBSON and KIDDLE—May 8, 1926, at St. Paul's Church, Malta, Lieutenant E. A. Gibson, R.N., H.M.S. Hermes, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, Rathcullenean, Waterford, to Marjorie Dace, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Kiddle, of Amberley, Gloucestershire.

SILVER WEDDING.

FORMAN and CHADWICK—May 22, 1901, at St. Matthew's Church, Ardwick, Manchester, by the Rev. J. S. Sidgewick, Harry, eldest son of the late George J. Forman, to Annie, youngest daughter of the late Thomas and Mrs. Chadwick.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BLAKENEY—May 20, 1926, at a Dublin Private Hospital, Robert Edward Blakeney, late of Abbert, County Galway. Funeral at Mount Jerome, arriving at 9.30 o'clock, this (Saturday) morning.

JACKSON—May 21, 1926, at 32 Oakley road, Ranelagh (the residence of his brother-in-law), Frederick William Jackson (late of Messrs. Monson, Robinson and Co., Dublin), youngest son of the late Frederick William Jackson, of this city. Deeply mourned and regretted. "At rest." Funeral on Tuesday morning, 10 o'clock, to Mount Jerome.

McCULLAGH—May 15, 1926, suddenly, at Ballintrillick, Sligo, Janie, eldest daughter of the late Alexander McCullagh. "Thy will be done."

MAGOWAN—May 20, 1926, at 5 Clonlee, Larne, Ruth Bennett Magowan, late Proprietor and Editor of the *Kilkenny Moderator*, younger son of the late Hugh Magowan, H.M.I.R.

PRENDERGAST—May 21, 1926, at her residence, 53 Lower Pembroke street, Amelia Prendergast, youngest daughter of the late Michael Field. Deeply regretted by her loving husband and family.

SMITH—April 25, 1926, at the residence of her son-in-law (Dr. S. Moore, Chicago), Elizabeth Smith, widow of the late J. Smith, Wicklow, aged 85. Deeply regretted.

SMITH—May 21, 1926, at her residence, Scranagh, Arklow, Louise, youngest daughter of the late George Smith, aged 78. "Safe in the arms of Jesus." Funeral to New Cemetery, Arklow, to-morrow (Sunday), May 23rd, leaving at 2.30.

TIERNEY—May 20, 1926, at Derry, Joseph A. Tierney, eldest son of the late John and Harriet Tierney, of Monifield, Coolock, County Dublin, and Isbcombe, Conquer Hill, Dollymount, County Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral from Clontarf Catholic Church for Glasnevin 10.45 to-day (Saturday).

WOODS—May 20, 1926, at her residence, 7 Swansey terrace, Ranelagh, Julia, widow of Richard Woods, formerly of Birr, King's County. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral strictly private. Canadian and Australian papers please copy.

ANNIVERSARY MASS.

O'LEARY—On to-morrow (Sunday), 23rd inst., Masses will be offered in Whitefriar street and Mount Argus for the happy repose of the soul of the late Thomas O'Leary, killed on March 23rd, 1925. R.I.P. Never forgotten.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

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IN MEMORIAM.

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LE CLERC—In fond and loving memory of our darling mother, who died 23rd May, 1925.

LENNANE—First Anniversary—In loving memory of Patrick Leo Lennane, who died at his residence, 35 Percy place, 22nd May, 1925. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Inserted by his loving parents, sisters, and brothers.

LEWIS—In fond and loving memory of our dear father, James J. Lewis, Stradbally, who died 22nd May 1932.—Ever loved and Harry.

LONG—In ever-loving memory of our dear daughter, Sadie (née McWilliams), who passed away May 22nd, 1923. R.I.P.—From her loving parents, sister, and brother, Calcutta, India.

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MACINTOSH—Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband, William Gordon Macintosh, of Merton, Fairview, Dublin, who died May 22nd, 1920. "Peace, perfect peace."

MACINTOSH—In loving memory of our darling Daddy, William Gordon Macintosh, who answered the higher calling 22nd May, 1920. "As long as the loved ones remain in our hearts, we can smile back into the eyes of God, Who understands."

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VACANCY FOR ITINERANT INSTRUCTOR IN POULTRY-KEEPING, BUTTER-MAKING, AND HOME CHEESE-MAKING.

The above Committee require the services of an Itinerant Instructor in Poultry-keeping, Butter-making, and Home Cheese-making, whose qualifications must be approved by the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland. Salary will be £170-£10-£200 (which includes cost of living bonus), subject to the deduction of Income Tax, and to the approval by the Ministry of Agriculture under the provisions of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, also locomotion expenses.

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E. T. HUSTON, Secretary, Dean's Bridge, Armagh.

DUN LAOGHAIRE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY STORES CLERK.

The Dun Laoghaire Urban District Council invites applications for the position of Temporary Stores Clerk. The person appointed will be responsible for the receipt and issue of all Goods and Stores and for the keeping of all Books and Records including the Engine thereof) in the Stores Department. His work will be examined, and reported on to the Council at intervals.

Candidates must have resided in the Township of Dun Laoghaire for over twelve months previous to date of application, and must not be less than 25 years of age.

The salary for the position will be £3 per week. Other qualifications being equal preference will be given to candidates possessing a knowledge of Irish.

Applications, giving full particulars of experience and qualifications, which should be accompanied by birth certificate and copies of recent testimonials, will be received by me up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 3rd day of June, 1926.

Candidates will be interviewed by a Selection Board, who will report to the Council those regarded as most suitable for appointment.

(Signed) JAMES J. TRISTON, Acting Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire, 21st May, 1926.

HOUSE Agent and Property Broker requires Canvasser on commission basis; state experience.—H 1685, this office. 18 F

LADY required, Protestant, about 30, Companion Help; knowledge nursing; strong; good copies references, salary expected; maid kept.—M 20, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 20 B

MILLINERY, Mantles, and Ladies' Outfitting—Wanted, young Lady for above; must be good saleswoman and shop-keeper; capable of taking charge. State age, religion, and lowest salary (indoor); enclose copy references, to R. P. Kent and Co., Rathdowney, Laois. 21

MOTHER'S Help required, Foxrock, all duties; must be fond of children and able to cook; help given; no washing; occasional daily maid; salary £30.—H 1976, this office. 21 C

NORTH Circular road—Advertisements for this Paper received by Mr. Lonergan, Newsagent and Confectioner, Ye Olde Toll House, Phoenix Park gate, North Circular road.

PROTESTANT Lady Help Wanted daily 2 to 7, two children. Apply, 10 to 11 a.m. or 1 to 2 p.m. ...rocklin, Monkstown.

REQUIRED, Lady Help (Protestant), country house, no Cossetting; must help; small salary. Address "Z 1375, Help," this office. 20 A

REPORTER Wanted for Provincial Newspaper, competent man; local notes and paragraphs brightly written; salary, state experience and age.—H 1978, this office. 20 F

SHORT Cross Word Puzzle—Cash prizes are offered for Solutions in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence, at

POULTRY CAGE BIRDS, DAIRY.

A QUANTITY of Pure Bred Fowls, in full lay, for immediate Sale. 33 Leopardstown Road, near Foxrock Church.

A Fowls.—Mrs. Barry, Inverville, Glenageary.

A MERIDAN Bronze Turkey Eggs, prize strain; 20/- dozen.—Mrs. Barry, Inverville, Glenageary.

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A FIRELESS Brooder, better, safer, easier, cheaper for rearing chicks than hot brooders or hens. Particulars free. The Standard Poultry Appliance Works, Castle-avenue, Clontarf.

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BS' Summer Bedding Plants, now ready—Calceolaria "Flame and Victoria," scarlet or yellow, 1/6 doz.; Gold Fish, etc.—The Fancier Farm, 15 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin. 18 F

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DAY old Ducklings, White Runners; 13/—Mrs. Flanagan, Riverside Poultry Farm, Ballinteer.

FRESH Butter, 1/8 per lb., post extra; Pet Chickens. Pullets, 7/- pair; Cockerels, 5/-. Pullets, 7/- pair; Cockerels, 5/-. Prize-winning strain; 1/10 per dozen, carriage paid; 6d.—Cosgrave, Coroha.

FOR Sale, Portable Hen House, large, perfect condition; £5 15/.—3 Sandycove avenue, West, Kingstown.

FRENCH Houdans, Settings 5/, free, unequalled layers.—17 Tritonville road, Dublin.

GUARANTEED—Eggs for preserving; reduction for quantities. 'Phone 64 Rathfarnham.—Mrs. Ballyboden, Rathfarnham. 21 C

HOUSES for Poultry—Lists from Manufacturers, two Pens, Cosy Cot, Leinster Row, Dublin. 7 A

HATCHING Eggs—Indian Runners (Upjohn's 289 strain), White Wyandottes (Barron's), Salmon Faverolles (Aitken's), 4/6, carriage paid.—Gillmore, Collonge, Greystones. 8 A

I.F.K.A. Layine Meal, the original meal—is true to its formula. Lists of tools and appliances on receipt of postcard.—Ravensdale Mills, Dublin. 14 A

INDIAN Game Cock, 1 year, 15/-; 2 years, 10/6; Hens, 7/6.—Faulkner, Woods, Stepaside, Rosemmon.

LAYING Hens—Pure-bred White Leghorns, 4/- each. Apply Lavelle, Marshfield, Leixlip. 18 F

LAYING Hens for Sale, also Chickens with Mothers.—Mills, Terenure, Dublin. 6 J 16

LADY can deliver best Fresh Eggs from country chicken, South side Dublin, at door, Tuesdays and Fridays.—Box 12776, Eden Quay, Dublin. 20 F

LARGE White American Pekin Drake, recently purchased, for sale; Rhode Island Reds, splendid winter layers; Mammoth Bronze Turkey Hens, one of whose dam laid 269 eggs at "Daily Mail" Test; 1 doz. 9/-, 3 doz. 12/6; all post free.—Miss Archibald, Dromineer, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary.

MARCH hatched Pedigree White Leghorn Pullets, 5/6 each; White Leghorn Hatching Eggs 3/6 per setting.—McNally, Tyrrelstown, Finglas.

PHEASANT Eggs for Sale.—W. Bull, Newcastle, Ballymahon. 25 14

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PEAT Litter, graded for hens 5/- for cubic yard; per cwt.; bags 1/6 extra, returnable; cash with order.—Turnour Peat Works, 17 Westland Row, Dublin.

PRIVATE Lessons in Poultry Management by qualified lecturer.—Particulars and terms on application, K 22, this office.

SALE, Buttermilk and Separated Milk; cheap.—Farm Produce Dairy, Arcane.

SITTINGS prize winners, Sussex, Leghorn, Rhode Island Runner Duck, six shillings; young Chickens and Mothers.—Lady Grace, Bobby, Monkstown. 18 F

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SWEET Peas, Early London, strong transplanted, 100, carriage paid, 1/6; Summer Sd., 30 2/6, free.—Ingles.

Strong, true-planted, crisp, nutty flavoured Potatoes; choice should be taken to individual instructions.—Ramsay, Ballsbridge.

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12 PURE bred 1925 Light Sussex Pullets and one pure bred 1924 Cockerel, £3 the 5 each, carriage paid Department's Station, Neale, Co. Mayo.

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REOPENING AT WINDSOR.

LARGE FIELDS IN PROSPECT.

SIR GREYSTEEL FAILS.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday Night.

Racegoers in the London area will have their first sight of a course for exactly three weeks when racing begins at Windsor tomorrow afternoon. It looks like being a day of big fields, for the train from Newmarket brought twenty-five horses and there will be big contingents from the country stables to which this meeting is so accessible. The Royal Windsor Three-Year-Old Handicap should see quite an interesting race, and a colt that is likely to be in the Derby field will be started for it. This is Mr. Blenkiron's Le Gros, who, with 1st. advantage in the weights, dead-heated with Tolgus at Lingfield a month ago. That, of course, is not Derby form, but it gives him a chance in this race.

I doubt the Irish 1,000 Guineas winner, Resplendent, seeing the post, and, anyhow, she is set a little too much to do, with 9st. to carry. Simon the Beggar and Pard are both likely runners, and of these I prefer the former, who is likely to prove himself a good colt this year. Silver Crag, who could win, if started, will in all probability wait for the Whitsuntide Cup at Hurst Park on Monday, and I do not care a great deal for the chance of his stable companion, Adage.

Darya Mahal might be better suited by a longer distance, for staying is the strongest point of the Aga Khan's filly. I believe that one of the bottom weights, Emerald Green, is fancied, and there is no doubt that Blueberg, who has been particularly well galloped recently, is very much so. It is an open race, and the best suggestion I have to make is that SIMON THE BEGGAR is worth each way support.

It is likely that there will be a big field for the opening race, the Speedy Two-Year-Old Plate, and winning form is represented by the Speardora colt, Brisena and Plover. The last-named was an expensive selling plate winner at Newbury, and neither of the others, I think, represent quite as good class as LIONESS, who was third to the Dew of June colt and Sneame at Sandown after her saddle had slipped in the Beckhampton Plate at Newbury when she had a strong winning chance. She had been well tried previous to that race, and is greatly fancied here, so I choose her to win the principal dancer being represented by Brisena.

There will be another good-sized field for the Romney Welter, a five furlong event, for which the grey Le Souriceau, who won in smart style at Leicester last month, is fancied. The best accounts I have received of any of the candidates in this race is for the French-bred filly, GOLDEN GLEAM, who made only a single appearance in this country last season, when she was rather unluckily beaten by Altissima and the Zena colt at Alexandra Park.

THE RACING AT AYR.

There will be racing also at Ayr, where the Eglinton Handicap is the principal event. Birchbroom is sure to be fancied for this. He has to give 1st. to JICKY, and as the Irish mare is said to be at the top of her form I choose her to win.

Sir Robert Jardine has sent Au Revoir from Newmarket to run for the Kyle Plate, and, although the filly is second to Solario this season, it is doubtful if she will beat either of the North country candidates, Brother's Water or The Mohawk. Of this pair I prefer BROTHER'S WATER.

As might have been expected, fields were small at Ayr this afternoon, as the travel problem is still a pressing problem, and looks like being more so owing to the difficulties of the coal dispute. There was one particularly good finish, however, that for the Montrayle Handicap, when Wragg got the locally-trained Whinpark up on the post to win by three short heads from Polemberg and Sir Greysteel after Polemberg had made all the running.

Orpheus, who was a brilliant performer on the Turf a few years ago, has sired his first winner in the Lady's Collar colt, who won the Biggergillan Plate. Although he came from a market with the reputation of having been well tried, the locally-trained Brown Ash was as good a favourite. However, Brown Ash, however, was well beaten off into third place behind Il Soriso de Sabato, who fought out a good finish, but was beaten a length by Lady's Collar.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

WINDSOR.

2.0—Speardora colt. 3.30—Globula.
2.30—Gamvros (nap). 4.0—Windover.
3.0—Simon the Beggar. 4.30—Nice Child.

AYR.

2.0—Fiddlebark. 3.30—Brother's Water
2.30—Canzonet. 4.0—Forest Dance.
3.0—Eastbridge. 4.30—Jillsome.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette :—To-day's best — Lioness. Double—Lioness and Honfleur.
Daily Express :—Safety bet—Le Gros (each way). Double—Le Gros and Awning.
Daily Mirror :—Double — Blueberg (nap) and Mohawk.
Daily Graphic :—Double — Invershin and Clover.

THE BETTING TAX.

PROTEST PRESENTED TO MINISTER.

Yesterday Senator Parkinson and Mr. P. W. Shaw, T.D., were received by the Minister for Finance as a deputation to protest against the suggested form of betting taxation.

The deputation referred to the unanimous opinions contained in a resolution which it presented. Unfortunately, the deputation was not able to convince Mr. Blythe that a 5 per cent. tax on each bet made on a race course would be fatal to horse-breeding and racing, and ultimately to agriculture. The deputation was only interested in, and spoke solely from the angle of, racecourse betting.

An alternative scheme which would not have an injurious effect on racing was proposed to Mr. Blythe. He said that he had taken power in the Financial Bill (the Budget) to tax betting, but guaranteed that the financial resolutions contained in it would not become operative until the Betting Bill which will be introduced has passed both Houses of the Oireachtas.

At the Curragh Race Meeting this week Senator Parkinson and Deputy Shaw went before the Stewards of the Turf Club and asked for their co-operation in helping to defeat the betting tax in the form in which it has been outlined by Mr. Blythe. The Stewards assured them that they had their fullest co-operation.

THE PROTEST.

The protest presented to Mr. Blythe read as follows:—

"We, the undersigned, representing the considered unanimous views of the Stewards of the Turf Club, the owners, trainers, breeders, agricultural and other such interests, hereby request the Minister of Finance to exclude race meetings from the proposed tax of 5 per cent. on all stakes invested. We have not doubt whatever that, if such tax is insisted on, racing in the Free State would not survive even the experimental period. We believe a considerable source of revenue could be obtained by the imposition of a substantial licence duty on bookmakers operating on racecourses, which would be obtained at a minimum cost of collection. In view of the menace that a cessation of racing would mean to our great breeding industry of world-wide fame, and to the fourth largest asset the Free State is possessed of, we confidently believe that no Irish Government would ignore the unanimous opinion of the vital interests affected."

(Signed) "J. J. PARKINSON, Senator.
"PATRICK W. SHAW, T.D."

Bachelor's Tonic has left Newmarket for Baldoyle, where the son of Captivation—Bachelor's Diamond, holds an engagement in the Baldoyle Derby, to be run on Tuesday next.

LEOPARDSTOWN.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

To-day's meeting at Leopardstown will provide an appropriate wind-up to an important week's racing, and, now that the weather has taken a turn for the better, a visit to the charmingly situated Foxrock enclosure should prove most enjoyable. Although fields may not be unduly big, runners will be forthcoming in sufficient numbers to make for interesting racing, which, it may be mentioned, is due to commence at 3 o'clock. A frequent service of special trains will run between Harcourt street and Foxrock, and now that the fares have been greatly reduced these trains will, no doubt, be largely availed of. Selections are appended:—

Lawn Plate—**Scarlet Satin.**
Carrickmines Plate—**Seef.**
Cadogan Plate—**Vixen's Charm.**
Dundrum Plate—**Athnkanon.**
Silverpark Plate—**Ragusa.**
Bray Plate—**Fair Head.**

3.0—THE LAWN PLATE of 100 sovs. for two year olds; the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. For maiden three years old. 1 m.

DINARD (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... st. lb.
BACHELOR'S FARE (Mr. ..... Owner 9 0
GIFT OF LAVENDER (Mrs. T. Coombe) ..... Coombe 8 11
BONNY RIPPLE (Mr. ..... Owner 8 11
SCARLET SATIN (Mr. H. McAlinden) ..... Usher 8 11
STILL-ORGAN (Mr. H. Power) ..... Owner 8 11
JENNY BROWN (Mr. T. Rogers) ..... Owner 8 11
(Above have arrived.)
..... Doyle 8 11
BUCHAN BRIDGE (Mr. ..... Owner 9 0
FOXCOURT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 9 0
LIAM ODG (Mr. ..... Owner 9 0
ROYAL MILLER (Mr. ..... Owner 9 0
BOLD WARRIOR (Mr. ..... Owner 9 0
SWEET LOCH LOMOND (Mr. J. O'Brien) ..... Owner 9 0
JAPONICA (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ..... Coombe 9 0
FRIGIDITY (Mr. ..... Fordred 9 11
LONELY LEAF (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 9 11
ADON-AT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 9 11
CLARE BELLE (Mr. E. A. Cooper) ..... Owner 9 11
SPARKLE (Mr. F. A. Rogers) ..... Owner 9 11
LORD BURDON (Mr. T. Rogers) ..... Owner 9 11
DAWBELL (Mr. H. M. Harrison) ..... Owner 9 11
(Above have arrived.)

3.30—CARRICKMINES PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. As critical selling race. For two years old. 5 f.

SWEET GIFT (Mr. H. Grier) ..... st. lb.
SWEET GIFT (Mr. John O'Brien) ..... Regan 9 10
VIXEN'S CHARM (Mr. W. Jackson) ..... Owner 9 10
WYNDHAM (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
WESTERTON (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
LADY LOCKE (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
DAWBELL £100 (Mr. H. M. Harrison) ..... Owner 9 10
(Above have arrived.)
LONESOME (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
EFFINGHAM (Mr. M. Grier) ..... Owner 9 10
ROYAL TIMES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 9 10
ROYAL BUD (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) ..... Owner 9 10
PARADE (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
BUSH (£100) (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
GILL (£100) (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
SQUARE TOWN £100 (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10
PEPPER (£100) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 9 10
COUSIN (£200) (Mr. ..... Owner 9 10

4.0—THE CADOGAN PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 30 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

DUNLAVIN LASS (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. ..... st. lb.
ACHATES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 9 3
ARCHWAY (5th.) (Mr. C. Wallis) ..... Usher 8 10
IRISH ROSE (4th.) (Mr. F. E. Hartigan) ..... Owner 8 10
IRAN GIFT (5th.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 8 8
GLUAIN AED (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. ..... Owner 8 1
..... Owner 8 1
BROWN BRAND (5th.) (Mr. H. Grier) ..... Parkinson 8 1
..... Owner 8 1
VIXEN'S CHARM (5th.) (Mr. W. Jackson) ..... Owner 8 1
(Above have arrived.)
GAINSHARP (4th.) (Mr. H. ..... Hartigan 8 4
LEANDER (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) ..... Owner 9 3
OFF SIDE (4th.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 8 4
CONNAGE (Mr. F. E. Morrison) ..... Fordred 8 10
COORAKURRIA (Mr. T. Wallis) ..... Fordred 8 10
SUNRISE (Mr. ..... Owner 8 10
FLATISTON (Mr. D. R. Brownlee) ..... Owner 8 10
CLONSTON (Mr. J. J. Rimmer) ..... Owner 8 10
SCANDINAVIAN (Mr. ..... Owner 8 10
WEST INDIES (Mr. ..... Owner 8 10
INDIAN HERO (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. C. ..... Behan 8 5
KL' HERMES (5th.) (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ..... Arnott 8 5
BANQUOE (4th.) (Capt. R. Brassey) ..... Owner 8 5
PUFF PUFF (4th.) (Mr. H. Hartigan) ..... Owner 8 5
BELLE AURORE (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. ..... Coombe 8 5
..... Owner 8 5
BLACKWOOD BRIDGE (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. ..... Coombe 8 1
HERMETIC 5th.) (Mr. ..... Owner 8 1
BOVINE ACT (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. ..... Owner 8 1
COUNTESS SHEILA (4th. and 5lb.) (Mr. C. ..... Doyle 8 1
..... Owner 8 1

4.30—THE DUNDRUM HANDICAP PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 1 m. 2 f. and a hurdle.

LORD WEMBLEY (Mr. W. A. Wallis) ..... Age st. lb.
CAPSICUM (Mr. T. ..... Stanton 3 8 4
WAY ORR (Mr. P. J. Moore) ..... Owner 4 8 4
ATHSHANNON (Mr. J. C. Gallwey) ..... Owner 4 8 4
PERSEUS (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Parkinson 3 7 7
SIL (Mr. H. M'Alinden) ..... Usher 3 7 7
(Above have arrived.)
SOMERS PRINCE (Mr. P. Burke) ..... Coffey 5 8 2
GERAINT (Mr. A. R. Coyle) ..... Fordred 5 8 2
WHITE COMAL (Mr. T. de Foubert) ..... Fordred 5 8 2
MALLOW BRIDGE (Mr. Peter Fitzgerald) ..... Owner 5 8 2
HELEN ADAIR (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 5 8 2
SIR STINGO (Mr. D. Sullivan) ..... Owner 4 7 12
PINK HAWTHORN (5th. ex.) (Mr. ..... Rogers 4 7 12
STRIPED SATIN (Mr. R. Power) ..... Owner 5 7 9
STARMAN (Mr. ..... Owner 5 7 9
MARRIAGE (Mr. Peter Kelly) ..... Owner 5 7 9
ADON-AT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 5 7 9
CLARE BELLE (Mr. E. A. Cooper) ..... Owner 5 7 9
SPARKLE (Mr. F. A. Rogers) ..... Owner 5 7 9
LORD BURDON (Mr. T. Rogers) ..... Owner 5 7 9
DAWBELL (Mr. H. M. Harrison) ..... Owner 5 7 9
AHERLOW (Mr. J. Brownscombe) ..... Fordred 5 7 5
5.0—THE SILVERPARK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. Weight for age. 1 m.

ESRA (Mr. D. J. Power) ..... Age st. lb.
EOREEN (Capt. R. B. Brassey) ..... Doyle 4 9 10
RAGUSA (Mr. ..... Harrison 3 8 12
WILLBEE (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Owner 4 9 4
WAITING (Mr. J. J. Coombe) ..... Coombe 4 9 4
GOSLIN (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 4 9 4
TEAR COAT (Mr. J. Myerscough) ..... Fordred 4 9 4
STILLORGAN (Mr. J. T. Stanton) ..... Owner 4 9 4
DINARD (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 4 9 4
JOE D (Mr. J. O'Rourke) ..... Owner 5 10 0
PRIMTOI (Mr. J. H. M'Auley) ..... Coombe 5 10 0
PICCOMPENSE (Mr. ..... Owner 5 10 0
MERCURY (Mr. C. A. Fox) ..... Ray 5 9 11
ROYAL BUD (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) ..... Lenehan 5 9 7
DOUBLE LOOKOUT (Mr. L. Scott) ..... Owner 5 9 7
5.30—THE BRAY PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

NANTENAN (Captain R. B. Brassey) ..... Age st. lb.
COLIN MOOR (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... H. Hartigan 4 9 0
FAIR LAD (Captain Dixon) ..... Owner 5 9 0
ATHSHANNON (Mr. ..... Behan 5 8 5
LOUVOIS GIRL (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) ..... Dawson 3 7 12
FREE FROM CARE (Mr. C. Wallis) ..... Doyle 3 7 12
..... Owner 3 7 12
LAST STRAW (Mr. Peter Kelly) ..... Rogers 3 7 7
(Above have arrived.)
WISKET (Mr. H. ..... Ray 5 7 7
SWIFT BIRD (Mr. H. Stockman) ..... Owner 3 7 7
GRAND PRIZE (Mr. A. E. Ladlie) ..... Doyle 3 7 7
ROYAL PLUSH (Captain H. A. Gardiner) ..... Collins 3 7 7
..... Owner 3 7 7
THE EID (Mr. ..... J. Rogers 4 8 9
TRISSHE (Mr. J. T. ..... Rogers 4 8 9
GOLDEN ..... P. Jones 4 8 9
GOLDEN SUNBURST (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ..... Owner 5 8 6
MOLLOY (Sir T. Dixon) ..... Fordred 5 8 4
ACTRIX (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) ..... Owner 5 8 4
MISSED THE TRAIN (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 5 8 0
PROTECTIONIST (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner 5 8 0
MAY PAN OUT (Mr. J. V. Rowan) ..... Owner 3 7 13
FOLLE FARINE (Mr. T. Coombe) ..... Owner 3 7 13
LEONORA (Mr. P. Coombe) ..... Owner 3 7 13
INFANTA AINA (Mr. T. Coombe) ..... Coombe 3 7 13
VESINGTON COMET (Mr. O. T. Wallis) ..... Owner 3 7 13
ANN B. (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ..... Fordred 3 7 10
HAZEL GROVE (Mr. Jos Read) ..... Coombe 3 7 10
..... Owner 3 7 10

LEOPARDSTOWN SECOND MAY MEETING, 1926.

SATURDAY, MAY 22nd.

FIRST RACE 3.0 p.m.

A train with reserved carriages for members leaves Harcourt street Station at 2.15 p.m., returning from Foxrock at 5.50 p.m., after racing is over.

Members will only be admitted to reserved carriages on production of their badges.

On the introduction of a member, tickets admitting to the Members' Enclosure (Gents', £1; Lady 5/6) can be obtained at the Members' Ticket Office on the Course, and at the Ticket Box at the top of the New Motor Enclosure, where tickets for the Grand Stand can also be purchased.

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Extreme measures will be taken to prevent betting outside the Stand Enclosures.

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Return fares from Harcourt street to Course:—First Class, 1/8; Third Class, 1/-.

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PHŒNIX PARK CLUB RACES.

In connection with all Meetings at Phœnix Park, commencing next Saturday, Excursion Tickets will be issued from all stations on the Great Southern Railways system to Dublin on the morning of the races.

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OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Epsom Derby—Balthazar III. and Hoggar II.
Epsom Oaks—Bacchanale and Gala Princess at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Doncaster St. Leger—Balthazar III., at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Home-bred T.Y.O. Plate, Gatwick August Meeting—Undergrowth II.
Royal Plate, Newbury—Tetrarce.
Whitsuntide Foal Stakes, Manchester—Fly Dame.
Romney Welter, Windsor—Bright Land.
Hobjort Selling, Windsor—Gad'ola.
Windsor engagements—Greenhorn and Drive On.
All engagements—Harpocrates II., Admaste, Companion II., Firespot, Flying Maze and Gairegal.

DERBY CANDIDATES' GALLOPS.

R. Day yesterday morning sent his Derby candidate, Lee, a striding pace gallop at a mile in company with North Bucks, Sir A. Bailey's colt travelling in splendid style throughout the spin.

Day also sent Solario, the winner of last year's St. Leger, a similar gallop with Right Hand. It has been stated that Sir John Rutherford recently refused an offer of £80,000 from America for Solario, who, among other races this season, holds an engagement in the Ascot Gold Cup.

The Derby favourite, Coronach, was usefully employed over five furlongs with others under the care of the Hon. G. Lambton.

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WINDSOR.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The card at Windsor to-day has been well supported, and fields seem likely to turn out well. The chief event on the card is the Royal Windsor Three-Year-Old. Handicap. Amongst the entries are two Derby candidates—viz., Simon the Beggar and Le Gros. Both of them possess bright chances particularly Le Gros, who dead-heated at Lingfield with the smart Tolgus at a difference of a stone. Darya Mahal ran really well in the One Thousand Guineas, and will here be meeting more lowly company. The Curragh winner Resplendent, is a good-class filly, but she may not concede so much weight to one or two lower in the scale. Adage looks nicely treated, and will stay every yard of this mile and a quarter. Reconfort is on the up grade, and others that may have to be reckoned with are Lulworth Cove, Arcite, Pard, St. Marceaux, and Blueberg. There is a particularly good account concerning the last-named, and he may represent the chief danger to Le Gros, who is said to be very much fancied. Selections:—

Speedy Plate—**Speardora colt.***
Holyport Handicap—**Herod Antipas.**
Royal Windsor Handicap—**Le Gros.**
Paddock Plate—**Honfleur.**
Romney Handicap—**Polaska.**
Slough Stakes—**Thrilling.**
DOUBLE—**Speardora colt** and **Le Gros.**

2.0—SPEEDY TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
	1 PLOVER ..... S. Donoghue	8/1
31	BRISENA (Mr. D. J. Power) ..... Ingham	
	EOREEN (Capt. R. B. Brassey) ..... Lynch	20/1
	OLD ENGLAND ..... Jones	100/8
	HERODICACA (Mr. ..... Darling	100/8
	DANGER COLT ..... Weile	100/8
	SILVER URN COLT ..... Carslake	100/8
041	SPEARDORA COLT ..... F. Fox	10/1*
2	FURANE ..... Carslake	100/6
	PROFESSOR ..... Jelliss	100/6
	BERNAVET COLT ..... F. Fox	100/6
0	GAY CORINTHIAN (Mr. ..... Stokes	20/1
0	GALADEER ..... C. Richards	20/1
0	SKELDAIGHT ..... A. Burns	10/1
	LADY LAVINIA FILLY H. Beasley	20/1
0	SILVERWARE ..... Street	100/6
000	GALADRIEL (Mr. ..... Archibald	20/1
0	ROMAN EMPIRE ..... Graves	20/1
	TORCH ..... Weston	100/8
2	RED ROSALD (Mr. ..... J. Jarvis	10/1
	TEARMARK ..... Perrett	100/8
	COME HITHER ..... Millar	20/1
0	CANARY WHITE ..... Lane	20/1
323	HAPPY SINGER ..... Threlfall	20/1
50	THE BLOWER ..... Elliott	10/1
	TORQUE ..... E. Calder	20/1
2	MOY ..... H. Leach	20/1
	SOUTH WESTER FILLY ..... Spinks	10/1
	WHITE MAIZE ..... Cassidy	20/1
03	LIONESS ..... Dennigan	20/1
	AUSTRIA ..... Childs	9/2
	LADY FAIRSTEAD FILLY ..... Pryor	20/1
	DITHYRAMB ..... K. Robertson	20/1
	QUEEN ELF (Mr. ..... Gwilt	8/1
	FAIZA (Miss R. G. Cory-Wright) ..... Tabor	8/1
	QUITE PURE (Mr. ..... Bradley	8/1
	CANTIL KNIGHT (Mr. ..... Gilbert	8/1
	ROMAN EMPIRE (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) ..... Owner	8/1
	PRIVATE PROPERTY (Mrs. D. ..... Owner	8/1
	MAID OF PERTH (Mrs. ..... Pope	8/1
	GEORGE DRUM (Mr. ..... Owner	8/1
	TORWILL (Miss T. Faulkner) ..... Leach, jun.	8/1
	BRAYGOLA (Mrs. ..... Leach, jun.	8/1
	NICELY F. ..... Martin	8/1

2.30—HOLYPORT SELLING HANDICAP of £200. Second £20. 5 f.

	BABY SNOWBALL (Mr. H. Miller) ..... Dale	8 9 0
	CALL ALICE (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) ..... Owner	6 8 13
	IRISH CHEDDAR (Mr. T. Walton)	8 8 13
	LIGHT CAVALRY (Mr. F. Clark) ..... Hogg	5 8 13
	KILNWICK (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) ..... Owner	4 8 8
	WINDFORT (Mr. A. Bennett) ..... Crumie	4 8 8
	RED ROSALD (Mrs. M. Davis) ..... Scott	4 8 8
	TONY M (Mr. W. Davis) ..... Scott	4 8 8
	CAPPAWHITE (Mr. H. Rich) ..... Young	4 8 8
	FOREIGN LEGION (Mr. P. Whitaker) ..... Cantrell	5 8 7
	SCALIGER (Mrs. R. Brock) ..... Bennett	6 8 6
	CRUBENMORE (Mr. T. A. Edge)	5 8 5
	VERITY (Mr. ..... C. Young	4 8 5
	GLADIOLA (Mr. H. Collins) ..... Collins	4 8 4
	KILTZERAN (Ld. ..... Owner	4 8 4
	BRAEMID (Mr. ..... Owner	4 8 4
	BLAGDON (Mr. G. Monkland) ..... Hogg	4 8 4
	BRABAZON (Mr. W. Lee) ..... Fitzgerald	4 8 3
	WARHAWK (Mr. H. Challenor) ..... Gilbert	4 8 3
	BLUE PAPER (Mr. F. Hartigan) ..... Owner	4 8 3
	BORDER (Mr. G. Hooper) ..... Larkin	4 8 3
	BARCLAYS (Mr. G. C. Poole) ..... Owner	4 8 3
	MISTER BLACK (Mr. H. Cottrill) ..... Owner	4 7 13
	THE MOUNT (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Owner	4 7 13
	CALIBAN (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Owner	4 7 13
	LITTLE EVA'S ROSE (Mr. R. O'Sullivan) ..... Owner	4 7 13
	KNOBKERRIE (Mr. M. Hartigan) ..... Owner	3 7 8
	CLIFFORD (Mr. A. Prince) ..... Fitzgerald	3 7 7
	GAMVROS (Mr. Z. Michalinos) ..... Fitzgerald	3 7 7
	LEMBURCH (Mrs. ..... Owner	3 7 7
	BLUE AND GOLD (Mr. ..... Harrison)	4 7 6
	GLAMIS MAID (Mr. G. Coldbeck) ..... Cramsie	4 7 3
	OBVIOUS (Mr. A. Falcon) ..... Owner	4 7 2
	PETTY CURY (Mr. T. Edge) ..... E. Piggott	4 7 0
	PHALLISM (Mr. W. Guy) ..... Beardsley	4 7 0
	CLEAN BABY (Mr. T. Edge) ..... Beasley	4 7 0
	CAT BURGLAR (Mr. E. Gabb) ..... Poole	5 7 0
	HEROD ANTIPAS (Mr. G. Dullery) ..... Owner	4 6 13
	LITTLE BERK (Mr. A. Boutall, jun.) ..... Higgs	5 6 11
	ARTISTS' RIFLES (Mrs. M. A. Pape) ..... Wilmot	3 6 11
	SANS FOI (Mrs. Saunders) ..... F. Leather	3 6 10
	NO CATCH (Mr. G. R. Sadler) ..... Clement	3 6 10
		Owner 4 6 10

3.0—ROYAL WINDSOR THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP, a plate of £600. Second £80 and third £20. 1¼ m.

	RESPLENDENT (Mr. D. Sullivan)	st. lb.
	SIMON THE BEGGAR (Mr. H. Shaw) ..... Persse	9 0
	PARD (Miss Sturt) ..... Moreton	8 11
	LE GROS (Mr. T. W. Blenkiron) ..... Whitaker	8 11
	ST. MARCEAUX (Mr. J. M. Woodville) ..... Nightingall	8 10
	SILVER CRAG (Mr. T. Carthew) ..... C. Davis	8 10
	DARYA MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) ..... Wootton	8 9
	RUSKIN (Mr. H. P. S. Dent) ..... F. Dawson	8 8
	NORMAN DUKE (Mr. F. Ellis) ..... H. Hartigan	8 8
	ADAGE (Mr. S. Wootton) ..... R. J. Colling	8 5
		Owner 8 5

LULWORTH COVE (Duke of Portland) ..... st. lb.
RED APPLE (Captain J. Hornsby) ..... Darling 8 5
..... Sherwood 8 5
ARCITE (Mr. G. Johnstone) ..... Hogg 8 4
LONGEST (Mr. H. J. Wilson) ..... Wragg 8 4
BLUEBERG (Sir A. Bailey) ..... Earl 8 0
HIDALGO II (Sir S. Bailey) ..... R. Day 8 0
INSCRIPTION (Mr. M. Field) ..... J. Dawson 7 13
..... Herd-Rochfort 7 13
SPECTROSCOPE (Duke of Marlborough) ..... Boyd-Rochfort 7 13
OVERCALL (Captain G. C. Dwyer) ..... Beasley 7 13
ROUGE-HAVE (Mr. N. Cannon) ..... Beasley 7 13
MEZZOTINT (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day 7 13
GRAND TRIANON (Sir F. Eley) ..... R. Day 7 13
TIDE (Mr. P. F. Raybourn) ..... Bartholomew 7 12
RECONFORT (Mr. R. R. Jeffrey) ..... R. W. Collins 7 12
EMERALD GREEN (Captain Forestier-Walker) ..... Rickaby 7 12
NYDIA (Mr. J. S. Austen) ..... Harper 7 9
..... C. Waugh 8 8
BLARNEY STONE (Mr. J. A. Phillips) ..... Whitaker 5 8 6
GRAND LADY (Ld. Glanely) ..... W. Nightingall 8 5
BRIAN BOY (Ld. W. de Broke) ..... Darling 8 5
CHARMING (Mr. E. T. Smith) ..... Turner 4 8 5
WINDOVER (Mr. A. M. Smith) ..... Templeman 4 8 5
OPEN PROSPECT (Sir A. Bailey) ..... MacColl 5 8 4
HOLYROOD GUIDE (Mr. C. Wylam) ..... R. Day 4 8 3
ELOUISE (Mr. ..... Bradley 5 8 3
POLUSKA (Lord Durham) ..... Coldbeck 4 8 2
LADY BUZZER (Mr. ..... Peck 4 8 2
GURZIL (Mr. Hadley) ..... Owner 4 8 2
GOLDEN CLEAR (Sir A. Bull) ..... L. Hammond 5 8 1
LORIENT (Sir A. Bailey) ..... Wootton 5 8 1
LE SOURCIEAU (Sir G. Bullough) ..... R. Day 5 7 13
STEEANOVITCH (Mr. O'Sullivan) ..... J. Jarvis 5 7 13
LITTLE GREY (Mr. Bayliss) ..... Owner 5 7 13
ARIADNE (Mr. ..... O'Sullivan 5 7 11
PAWNBAY (Mr. ..... Moreton 4 7 11
LADORIA (Mr. da Costa) ..... R. Dawson 5 7 11
SOME JUNE (Mrs. Drummond) ..... F. Darling 5 7 11
BRANXHOLME (Mr. O'Sullivan) ..... Owner 4 7 10
LADY OF THE ROAD (Mrs. Stevens) ..... C. Stevens 4 7 9
PINAULT (Mr. Ireland) ..... D. Waugh 3 7 9
ATREAS (Mr. Michalinos) ..... Scott 3 7 9
ROYALTON (Mr. Bayliss) ..... Scott 3 7 9
ARC-EN-CIEL (Mr. Cottrill) ..... O'Sullivan 3 7 4
HEATHERDOWN (Mr. Grafton) ..... Owner 3 7 4
ALSAND (H.H. Aga Khan) ..... Moreton 3 7 4
GAMVROS (Mr. Portman) ..... Farquharson 3 7 4
SUTERN (Mr. Hartley) ..... Owner 3 7 4
GREASED LIGHTNING (Lord Ellesmere) ..... Pickering 5 7 3
JUNE CLOVER (Mr. Miller) ..... Dale 3 7 0
MARY KILKENNY (Mr. O'M. Leahy) ..... Beatty 3 7 0
MINUTE MAN (Mr. Read) ..... Foster 3 7 0
GAY SULTANA (Mr. Saunders) ..... Owner 3 7 0
PICTOR IGNOTUS (Captain Newton) ..... Higgs 3 7 0
CANADIAN GIRL (Mr. Green) ..... J. Ward 3 7 0
..... Larkin 3 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
40	L'HABIT VERT ..... Beatty	100/8
000	HARVEST SLADE ..... A. Beary	100/8
000	RATH DUTH ..... W. Smyth	100/8
100	THUMPRIS ..... Winter	10/1
000	LUCKY SON ..... Jelliss	8/1
332	JOHN DENNIS ..... R. Stokes	100/6
020	BLARNEY STONE ..... A. Burns	8/1
00	BRIAN BOY ..... R. Jones	100/8
002	STERLING WINE ..... Brennan	100/6
014	WINDOVER ..... F. Fox	100/8
100	AWNING ..... G. Barker	4/1
041	FELDING ..... H. Beasley	7/1
002	POLUSKA ..... Alford	6/1
200	LADY BUZZER ..... Weston	8/1
030	GURZIL (Mr. ..... Caldwell	10/1
0	GOLDEN CLEAR ..... Smirke	10/1
014	LE SOURCEAU ..... Marshall	9/2
504	ORLANDO ..... Elliott	5/1
014	LADY R. ..... Lane	100/8
000	ASTREAS ..... A. Beary	10/1
000	ARC-EN-CIEL ..... H. Leach	100/8
000	VAN SANT ..... H. Leach	100/8
000	SIGNALLER ..... Green	100/7
043	MEMORIES ..... Leach	100/6
000	GREASED LIGHTNING ..... Walsh	100/6
200	CANADIAN GIRL ..... Graham	100/6

4.30—SLOUGH FOUR-YEAR-OLD PLATE of £2 each, with £200 added. Second receives £10. 1¼ m.

	BRENIVAL (Lady S. Scott) ..... S. Darling	st. lb. 8 4
	SOME SLIP (Mr. H. Turner)	8 4
	HYCOLA HEIGHT (Mr. T. Morris) ..... Grundy	8 4
	DIAGRAM (Mr. T. F. Ryan)	8 4
	ASCOT (Mr. G. Snow)	8 4
	TYRRWYRN (Mr. R. Walker) ..... J. Kelly	8 0
	NICE CHILD (Mr. H. Cottrill) ..... C. Doyle	8 0
	THRILLING (Mr. G. Dullery) ..... Owner	7 11
	CAMPING (Mrs. Rudd) ..... Owner	7 11
	CRAIGNURE (Mr. G. R. Sadler) ..... Owner	7 11
	EVENING BLISS (Mr. G. Snow) ..... J. Kelly	7 11
	BERTIE BROOKS (Mrs. Stevens) ..... Stevens	7 11
	MONSIEUR BACON (Mr. D. Wilson) ..... Wilson	7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
002	RESPLENDENT ..... D. Jones	3/1
001	SOME SLIP ..... Brennan	7/4
040	RACCATAT REAT ..... Sm

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIANS AT CAMBRIDGE.

LIGHT BLUES DRAW.

SURREY BEATEN AT THE OVAL.

There was an exciting finish to the match at Cambridge yesterday, the Australians being set 59 to make to win in twenty-five minutes. Their attempt to force the game, however, failed completely, and the match was left drawn, with the tourists still needing 42. All day the cricket was full of interest. The Australians started the concluding stage with a good deal in hand, being within 47 of the Cambridge total and having six wickets in hand. So finely did Meyer and Enthoven bowl, however, and so admirably were they backed up in the field, that these six wickets went down in an hour and fifty minutes, and produced only 70 runs. Woodfull and Andrews, who had gained a strong advantage overnight, were soon separated, but the fifth wicket, which fell at 176, had produced 70 runs in eighty minutes. Altogether the Australians batted five hours and fifty minutes for 235. Woodfull was 97 when the ninth wicket fell, but, although the innings lasted twenty minutes longer, he only added a single, and so missed what would have been his third hundred of the tour. He withstood the 'Varsity attack for four hours and made some fine drives, but repeatedly he was beaten, and it can scarcely be said he fully deserved the success which attended his effort. His hits included eight 4's. Meyer had six wickets for 65 and Enthoven three for 40, but the outstanding feature of the 'Varsity cricket was the brilliance of the fielding.

AUSTRALIANS' FINE BOWLING.

Only 23 behind, Cambridge entered upon their second innings after lunch, and, although the pitch, under the influence of the sun, was obviously becoming difficult, nothing sensational promised when Dawson and Lowe stayed together half an hour and put on 28 runs. Then came the startling success of Macartney. He started with seven overs for 8 runs and four wickets, four men being out for 34. Dawson, after batting admirably for eighty minutes, was fifth out at 48, and the tea interval found six men out for 59. In forty minutes afterwards Grimmett finished off the innings for the addition of 22. The ninth wicket fell at 66, and 7 runs later Ellis missed Machin at the wicket, the last partnership lasting fifteen minutes and producing 15 invaluable runs. Cambridge were all out in two hours and twenty minutes, Macartney and Grimmett bowling with great skill. The Australians' attempt to hit off the runs was speedily rendered impossible, with Ryder being dismissed at 9 and Andrews at 13.

HOW SUSSEX WON.

After a splendid struggle victory rested with Sussex by 92 runs, this being Surrey's first defeat in a county match at the Oval since August, 1920. Set to get 380 for victory Surrey had the whole day before them, but the task proved too heavy on a pitch that always helped the bowlers, and for a time was really difficult. In the circumstances, Surrey accomplished an excellent performance in scoring 287 runs, and prolonged the game until nearly five o'clock. The difficulties of the situation had clear proof in the way Hobbs and Sandham fought for runs. Staying together for an hour and three-quarters, the famous pair made no more than 88, Hobbs claiming 48 when bowled for the second time in the match by Gibson, a big break on this occasion beating him. When at lunch Sandham and Jeacocke had raised the total to 121 there seemed a chance of Surrey winning, but Tate bowled so finely that half the side were out for 226. Two catches off Parks left four wickets to fall, and Tate took them at a cost of 15 runs before the tea interval. Tate's analysis for the innings indicates his excellent work, and in the match he dismissed eleven men for 130 runs. He received all the support possible from his colleagues, who were skilfully placed by Arthur Gilligan, and worked with splendid spirit for the handsome triumph. Sandham, third out at 156, batted in his best form for two hours and fifty minutes.

LANCASHIRE'S SECOND VICTORY.

After a dour struggle and a race against time, Lancashire gained their second victory of the season at the expense of Leicestershire at Aigburth by 138 runs. Possessed of a lead of 288 with eight wickets to fall, Lancashire batted for another fifty-five minutes, the object being to give Makepeace an opportunity of completing his hundred. On the previous afternoon he had made 94. Though the wicket was comparatively easy, the rate of scoring was slow, only 30 runs being added before the declaration was made. Batting through an innings of three hours and ten minutes, Makepeace only gave one chance at 36. His hit nine 4's. Shipman and Berry gave the visitors an excellent start, scoring 53 in sixty-five minutes before lunch, but Berry, who had batted soundly for eighty minutes, was bowled, and four runs later Astill was bowled between his legs. Shipman's resistance of two hours was ended at 83, at which stage Parkin retired for twenty-five minutes owing to foot trouble. Two hours and a half were occupied in making 100, when Watson met with success, and at the tea interval six wickets were down for 140, the tea interval being extended to twenty minutes. Lancashire were left with fifty-five minutes to drive home their advantage, with the option of an extra half-hour, which was claimed. Fifteen minutes had expired when the last wicket fell.

Middlesex at one period in the afternoon at Lord's were in danger of being beaten by Hampshire, but, thanks to a determined stand between Hearne and Mann, they pulled the game round, and at twenty minutes past five the match was left drawn.

Playing their first match Oxford University had the satisfaction of winning against Mr. Leveson Gower's Eleven by 168 runs.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY v. AUSTRALIANS.

At Cambridge. Match drawn. Score:—

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
E. W. Dawson c			
Collins b Ryder	69	c Ellis b Grimmett	22
R. G. H. Lowe c			
Ellis b Ryder	0	b Macartney	8
K. S. Duleepsinhji b Richardson	11	b Macartney	0
B. A. Ingle c Wood			
b Hall	6	l.b.w b Macartney	2
H. J. Enthoven l.b.w			
b Macartney	93	b Macartney	0
J. C. Turnbull c			
Ellis b Ryder	0	c Grimmett	21
F. W. Robins c			
Ellis b Ryder	0	b Grimmett	0
A. D. Meyer c and b			
Richardson	4	c Collins b Grimmett	6
G. S. Machin c Wood			
b Hall	6	b Grimmett	9
H. Jagger b Ryder	4	not out	0
L. G. Irvine not out	5	l.b.w b Grimmett	0
Extras	7	Extras	2
Total	212	Total	81

Bowling.—First Innings—Ryder, 6 for 74; Macartney, 2 for 36; Hadley 0 for 30; Richardson, 2 for 57; Grimmett, 0 for 23; Collins, 0 for 2. Second Innings—Ryder, 0 for 16; Macartney, 4 for 21; Grimmett, 4 for 36; Richardson, 0 for 9.

AUSTRALIANS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
H. L. Collins b Meyer	8		
W. Bardsley c Irvine			
b Enthoven	14		
C. G. Macartney c			
Lowe b Meyer	29		
W. H. Ponsford l.b.w			
b Meyer	11		
W. M. Woodfull not			
out	98		
T. Andrews l.b.w b			
Enthoven	32	c Machin b Meyer	3
J. S. Ryder c Meyer			
b Enthoven	6	b Meyer	6
A. J. Richardson c			
Lowe b Meyer	7	not out	6
J. L. Ellis b Irvine	2	not out	1
C. Grimmett b Enthoven	6		
A. A. Mailey l.b.w			
b Meyer	4		
Extras	13	Extra	1
Total	235	Total (2 wkts.)	17

Bowling.—First Innings—Enthoven, 3 for 40; Meyer, 6 for 65; Irvine, 1 for 67; Jagger, 0 for 54; Lowe, 0 for 11. Second Innings—Enthoven, 0 for 14; Meyer, 2 for 5.

LANCASHIRE V. LEICESTERSHIRE

At Liverpool. Lancashire won by 138 runs. Score:—

LANCASHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Makepeace not out	101	Watson not out	12
Hallows l.b.w b Bale	31	Extras	12
E. Tyldesley c Fowke b Astill	40	Total (2 wkts.)	*202

*Innings declared

Bowling—Second Innings—Skelding, 0 for 19; Astill, 1 for 39; Geary, 0 for 30; Bale, 1 for 69; Shipman, 0 for 22; Armstrong, 0 for 11.

LEICESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Shipman c R. Tyldesley	0	Bradshaw c and b	
b Parkin	40	Parkin	19
Berry b Parkin	34	Sidwell b R. Tyldesley	4
Astill b Parkin	4	Bale c Duckworth b	
Fowke l.b.w b Watson	17	Parkin	10
Armstrong l.b.w b		Skelding not out	5
R. Tyldesley	39	Extras	4
Geary st Duckworth b			
Watson	11	Total	190
Lord c and b Watson	5		

Bowling.—Second Innings—Macdonald, 0 for 85; Parkin, 5 for 54; R. Tyldesley, 2 for 21; Watson, 3 for 26.

SURREY V. SUSSEX.

At the Oval. Sussex won by 92 runs. Score:—

SURREY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Barling c Jardine b Cook	0	l.b.w b Fender	19
Tate c Hobbs b Fender	46	l.b.w b Fenley	34
Wensley c Peach b Cook	8	c Strudwick b Fender	19
Fenley c Peach b Cook	4	b Fender	19
H. Gilligan b Fender	12	b Fender	0
A. H. H. Gilligan c Strudwick b Peach	74	l.b.w b Fender	4
Parks st Strudwick b Fenley	3	l.b.w b Fender	19
Col. A. C. Watson b Fenley	0	c Sandham b Fenley	2
A. E. R. Gilligan c Ducat b Peach	63	not out	110
C. Gibson b Fender	2	Strudwick b Lock	54
Cornford not out	9	b Fender	0
Extras	8	Extras	10
Total	231	Total	285

Bowling.—First Innings—Peach, 2 for 42; Lock, 2 for 40; Fender, 2 for 70; Fenley, 3 for 48; Shepherd, 0 for 24. Second Innings—Fender, 6 for 56; Lock, 1 for 41; Fender, 7 for 86; Fenley, 2 for 47. Shepherd, 0 for 23.

SURREY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Hobbs b Gibson	34	b Gibson	48
Sandham b Gibson	20	l.b.w. b Tate	70
A. Jeacocke c Cook b Wensley	11	c Cornford b Tate	11
Shepherd l.b.w b Tate	34	c H. Gilligan b Tate	50
D. R. Jardine b Wensley	4	c Wensley b Parks	36
Ducat c Williams b Wensley	2	not out	37
F. C. H. Fender b Tate	10	c A. E. Gilligan b Parks	1
Peach c and b Gibson	16	c and b Tate	6
Strudwick l.b.w b Tate	3	l.b.w. b Tate	10
Fenley b Tate	8	c Wensley b Tate	5
Lock not out	0	b Tate	0
Extras	3	Extras	21
Total	135	Total	287

Bowling.—First Innings—Tate, 4 for 40; A. E. R. Gilligan, 0 for 7; Gibson, 3 for 54; Wensley, 1 for 24. Second Innings—Tate, 7 for 90; Gibson, 1 for 84; Wensley, 0 for 35; Bowley, 0 for 40; Parks, 2 for 17.

MIDDLESEX V. HAMPSHIRE.

At Lord's. Match drawn. Score:—

MIDDLESEX.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
		*303 (9 wkts.)	
Dales b Bowell	31	Gray b Boyes	0
Lee b Brown	2	Mann not out	60
Hearne c Allen b Brown	4	Extras	13
Meads not out	61	Total (5 wkts.)	197
Bryan b Boyes	0		

Bowling—Second Innings—Kennedy, 0 for 50; Newman, 0 for 17; Boyes, 3 for 45; Brown, 2 for 99; Bruton, 0 for 24; Gross, 0 for 9.

HAMPSHIRE—First Innings.

Brown b Tanner	32	Livsey c Mann b Haig	9
Newman c Durston b Haig	0	Gibbons not out	1
A. Dean c Lee b Tanner	134	Gross c Tanner b Durston	3
R. Aird c Lee b Tanner	63	Boyes b Haig	1
Newman not out	94	Extras	11
Bowell b Tanner	1	Total	*450
C. P. Bruton b Haig	38		
Kennedy c Hendren b Haig	51		

Bowling.—First Innings—Haig, 4 for 137; Durston, 1 for 97; Hearne, 1 for 108; Tanner, 3 for 82; Lee, 0 for 23.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY v. MR. H. D. G. LEVESON-GOWER'S XI.

At Oxford, the University won by 168 runs. Score:—

	1st Inns.	2nd Inns.
Oxford University	300	202 (8 wkts.)
Leveson-Gower's XI.	202	132

*Innings declared

H. L. HENDRY'S ILLNESS.

It was stated yesterday that H. L. Hendry, the Australian cricketer who is suffering from scarlet fever, is progressing satisfactorily. He will not, however, be able to leave hospital for another month.

LEINSTER v. ULSTER.

THE LEINSTER XI.

For the match between Leinster and Ulster, to be played in College Park on Friday and Saturday, 28th and 29th inst., the following team has been selected to represent Leinster:—

W. F. Aylward (Pembroke),
L. Bookman (R. and S. P. U.),
J. Claridge (Coolattin),
J. B. Gaily (Leinster),
F. W. Fryer (Merrion),
W. Harrington (Leinster),
A. P. Kelly (Phœnix),
G. M. Kelly (Dublin University),
E. L. Kidd (Phœnix),
C Nash (Leinster),
A. H. Robinson (Pembroke).

In the event of any of the team being unable to play, notification should be sent at once to Mr. G. C Byrne, 36 Elgin road. Telephone—Ballsbridge 482.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Dublin University v. Phœnix (S.L.). College Park. 3.30.
R. and S.P. Union v. Clontarf (2nd.). Park avenue.
Civil Service v. Pembroke (S.L.). Phœnix Park.
Pembroke v. R. and S.P.U. 2nd. Park avenue.
Cork County v. Leinster (first day). Cork.
St. Columba's v. and P. v. Merrion v. A.C. Rathfarnham.
Y.M.C.A. v. Pembroke Wanderers (L.L.). Claremont road.
Richmond v. Leinster 2nd (1.L.). Grangegorman.
Clontarf 2nd v. Civil Service 2nd (L.L.). Castle avenue.
Merrion 2nd v. Dublin University 2nd. Anglesea road.
Pembroke Wanderers 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. 2nd (J.L.). Serpentine avenue.
Sandymount 2nd v. Raheny (L.L.). Sandymount road.
R. and S.P. Union 3rd v. Leinster 3rd (J.L.). Park avenue.
Pembroke 3rd v. Monkstown (J.L.). Sydney Parade.
Portrane Asylum v. St. John's (J.L.). Portrane.
Dundrum Asylum v. Malahide (J.L.). Dundrum.
Wills' 2nd v. Bilhahre. Terenure.
Carlisle v. St. James's (J.L.). Terenure.
"Irish Times" v. Wills' (J.L.). Lansdowne road.
Jacobs' 2nd v. C.Y.M.S. (M.L.). Terenure.
Malahide 2nd v. Monkstown 2nd (M.L.). Malahide.
Bohemians 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. 3rd (M.L.). Dalymount.
Bandon Grammar School 2nd v. Drogheda G.S. Clonakilty.

MONDAY'S SENIOR FIXTURES.

Dublin University v. Phœnix (second day). College Park.
Clontarf v. Collattin. Castle avenue.

TEAMS.

Phœnix.—W. Allen, H. de Burgh, C. Buttanshaw, F. F. Crawford, D. Figgis, J. D. S. Fitzgerald, W. Hutton, E. L. Kidd, D. R. Pigot, J. H. Pigot, Another.

Pembroke.—W. F. Aylward, P. Keating, D. C. Pickeman (capt.), A. H. Cordner, A. H. Robinson, G. J. Bonass, R. A. Ross-Todd, D. J. Murphy, H. Williams, F. W. Hirst, B. Kelly. Sub.—M. P. Ruddle.

Pembroke II.—W. Brady (capt.), M. P. Ruddle, L. D. McMullen, M. H. Maher, J. Murray, W. G. Bariey, F. E. Warner, F. A. Warner, T. C. Fox, E. Wieder, C. B. Parker.

Civil Service.—R. H. Botton, F. Cannell, P. J. Fitzgerald, J. B. Fiveash, J. H. Hanrahan, G. S. Nowlan, F. J. O'Rourke, B. H. Pemberton, R. V. Tarleton, R. V. Thompson, H. Walsh.

Civil Service Invitation II.—J. Arigho, J. Blake, J. D. Briggs, A. P. Connell, J. Cullen, J. Gaffney, J. J. Hayden, B. C. Holden, P. J. M'Cann, J. T. Moran, T. J. Byrne (v), Principle.

Leinster (v. Civil Service, on Monday).—S. Burmison, W. Carson, H. Donaldson, L. Donnelly, J. Duffy, R. Harrison, R. Hayes, W. M'Cleery, R. Morrison, J. Sparks, H. Sparks, H. Wade.

Leinster II. (v. Cork County).—C. Nash (capt.), C. M. Hill, J. B. Gaily, A. B. Penny, J. C. Edwards, J. Fraser, W. A. Hoyd, J. Wilson, J. O'Connor, B. J. D. O'Kelly, B. J. L. Davidson, W. R. Dorgan.

Leinster II.—A. B. Bex (capt.), A. Satchwell, P. S. Hewson, F. W. Fox, R. T. Sheppard, J. R. Graham, J. F. Hanby, D. E. Robinson, R. L. Cunningham, J. J. Kennedy, F. D. Allison.

Leinster II. (v. Dublin University II., at Rathmines on Whit Monday).—A. F. Bex (capt.), J. Sharkey, J. F. Kempster, R. C. Sheppard, P. S. Hewson, A. Satchwell, R. L. Cunningham, A. B. Wilkinson, J. Allison, J. P. Hanby, R. D. Joynt.

Merrion A.—J. A. O'Donnell (capt.), E. T. Jones, G. A. Dowling, F. E. Hudson, C. Little, R. P. MacGarrigle, C. C. Moran, D. D. Moran, B. Nicholson, D. J. O'Connor, D. Riordan.

Merrion II.—V. Cranly (capt.), G. H. Allen, J. A. Browne, E. Collins, H. G. Cuthbert, P. B. Kenny, E. W. Morris, M. J. Nicholson, J. N. Peat, V. Rumney, A. J. Stokes.

Malahide.—G. O'Neill, J. Cahalan, D. Crowley, J. Keddie, J. Finch, E. Healy, R. Healy, S. Mills, W. Polley, A. Whieldon. Subs.—C. M'Creadie, T. Healy.

SCHOOLS' JUNIOR CUP.—First Round—St. Andrew's (J.C.T.) v. Masonic (J.C.T.).—Played at Chonkaska. St. Andrew's batting first, made 50. Masonic had 8 wickets down for 50, but a stand by M'Loughlin and Gill brought the score to 81. Masonic thus won by 31 runs.

MOTOR CYCLING.

WHITSUNTIDE TRIAL.

The chief motor cycling event of the Whitsuntide holiday will be the twenty-hours' reliability trial of the Cork and District Motor Cycle Club, which will be held on Monday. One of the oldest events of its class in Ireland, the trial last year was given the status of a Southern Championship and this year it has been elevated to the status of a national event. Its importance is indicated by the fact that the Northern competition, fixed for Whitsuntide, has been abandoned, while, as usual, the day will be a blank one in the Metropolitan district.

The event will be run in two classes—for solo machines, and side-cars—and separate championship awards are offered in each class. The conditions aim at finding a winner in each class without the necessity of a secret check, as although the latter will be used, it is only intended to secure a general observance of the twenty miles per hour schedule. A brake test and a break and acceleration test will prevent a tie on points at the control. Both of these tests, as well as a starting from cold test, were used last year.

The trial will start from Cork at midnight on Sunday, and the portion of the route to be covered in darkness lies to the north and east of the city. Clonmel and Dungarvan being the most distant points touched. Returning to Cork for breakfast, the competitors will complete the route in West Cork and County Kerry, the ascent of Ess Mountain, one of the lesser of the latter counties being the tit-bit of the day's run. This hill was first introduced last year, and the survey test it provides will be understood when it is said that no side-car machine has yet succeeded in making a clear ascent of it.

LAWN TENNIS.

IRELAND V. SPAIN.

IRISH WIN IN THE DOUBLES.

Yesterday at Fitzwilliam Club a straight set victory in the Doubles gave Ireland the lead in the Davis Cup-tie with Spain. L. A. Meldon and B. Haughton proved too good for the Spanish pair, F. Sindreu and A. Juanico, and won in convincing fashion on the score 6-4, 8-6, 6-3.

The match may not have produced the very best tennis, but there was no lack of excitement, and the splendid rally made by the Spanish pair in the second set made a direct appeal to the crowd. This, by the way, showed a decided increase on the attendance of the previous day, and amongst those present may be noted Miss Courtenay, the daughter of Colonel A. H. Courtenay, C.B., D.L., who directed the fortunes of Fitzwilliam for so many years, and did so much for the game in Ireland.

Conditions again were favourable, and the light was much better. Starting slowly—Sindreu opened the match with two double faults—the visitors were three games down in the opening set before they really got going. It was mainly a matter of formation—they began the match playing one up and one back, and if they did change later on they never seemed to have any definite understanding. The handicap was greater than they could carry against the net game played by Meldon and Haughton, and proved a leading factor of the match.

The Singles had shown the Spaniards to be possessed of any amount of courage, and their game yesterday confirmed the showing. To Juanico fell the back of the court, and there he showed wonderful mobility. There was scarcely a return he did not attempt to reach, and with his weak back-hand less in evidence he picked up a number of seemingly impossible shots.

This spirit enabled the pair to pull the set round in the sixth game, but Juanico failed to hold his service in the next, and Ireland led again. Over-driving by Sindreu cost them the critical eighth game, and although Sindreu won his own service in the next, Ireland—Meldon serving—went out in the tenth, a brilliant passing shot by the server giving them the set from 40-30.

Spain took, but failed to hold, the lead in the second set, and brilliant smashing by Meldon completely turned the tables. He was hitting very hard at this stage, and nine out of every ten he reached he put away. Spain made her effort in the fifth, when a couple of service aces by Sindreu proved very valuable. Footfaulted in the next, Meldon temporarily lost his accuracy, and the score read 5-all. In passing, it should be said that this committee's decision to appoint a special footfault umpire was a complete success, and Mr. J. F. Miley filled a difficult post very well.

Steady Irish team work gave us a couple of games, to which Meldon's overhead work contributed largely; but Spain retaliated sturdily, and after both her men had held their services, and captured Meldon's, she took the lead for the first time at 5-5. As it worked out, the twelfth was the crucial game, and only after deuce had been called three times did Haughton win his service, to square.

The effort was too much for Spain. Under the Irish pressure the visitors became unsteady and in the next two games only scored a couple of aces.

The third set proved one-sided. Two sets up, Ireland went all out, and only once—in the seventh game—could Spain show any sign of pulling the match round. On Juanico's service she led 40-love, only to lose the game after deuce had been called six times; and though Ireland lost Haughton's service in the next the capture of Sindreu's in the ninth from 40-15 gave us set and match.

Of the players, Meldon stood out by himself. Serving and placing well, he seemed much faster to the net than usual, and, as noted, his brilliant overhead hitting was the chief factor in the win. Haughton's service lacked kick, and his volleying was not too sure. Sindreu played below his singles' form, though his service was always a strong point. Juanico, on the other hand, was above the form he showed against Meldon on the previous day, and his extraordinary pace across the court, with his power of picking up seemingly impossible balls, more than made up for his partner's weakness, although it did not bring their value as a pair up to that of the Irishmen. Results:—L. A. Meldon and B. Haughton (Ireland) beat F. Sindreu and A. Juanico (Spain)—6-4, 8-6, 6-3.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

This afternoon the concluding matches of the tie will be played as follows:—

3.0—E. A. McGuire (Ireland) v. A. Juanico (Spain).

4.45 (approximately)—L. A. Meldon (Ireland) v. F. Sindreu (Spain).

As the tie now stands, great interest centres on the results. To qualify for the next round, Spain must win both matches, while Ireland's win in the Doubles yesterday will enable her to go forward to meet Argentina, if she can succeed in winning one of other. Opinions differ as to how the matches may go, but assuredly we can look for two keen games.

Umpires—Messrs. S. C. D. Harrison and S. L. Fry.

Linesmen—The following will report to the Referee at 2.30 p.m.:—Messrs. S. Riordan, L. O'Neill, H. M. Read, E. Hornidge, J. Miley, M. H. Toppin, G. Dockeray, C. Jackson, W. Knox Peebles, A. H. Davidson, M. Burke, R. W. Greene, H. Lidstone, S. Hodson, T. Hearn, J. Doolin, T. V. Murphy, P. Stokes, H. Vernon.

Stewards will report to the Hon. Secretary at 2 p.m.

GREAT BRITAIN v. ITALY.

The third round tie between Great Britain and Italy in the Davis Cup will be played in Rome on May 29th, 29th and 30th.

SOUTH AFRICA v. SWEDEN.

The date and venue for the South Africa v. Sweden match in the third round is as follows:—May 31st, June 1st and 2nd; at Melbury Lawn Tennis Club, Kensington, London.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY v. EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY.

Dublin University hold their annual fixture with Edinburgh University in the College Park to-day, commencing at 10.30 a.m. The following will represent Dublin University:—A. de G. Gaudin, T. G. McVeagh, J. C. Cherry (captain), J. E. Wells, V. St. G. Vaughan, W. T. Deverell.

HARD COURT CHAMPIONSHIPS OF FRANCE.

The following players will represent Great Britain in the French Hard Court Championships, which will be decided on June 2nd and following days, at the Racing Club de France, Paris:—D. G. N. Hirwan, J. Sparks, H. Roper Barrett, C. Gregory, H. Tarnbull, L. Godfree, Mrs. Shepherd Barron, Miss E. Colyer and Miss Joan Fry.

CLUB NOTICES.

PERCY.—There will be an American tournament on Whit Monday, play commencing at 3 p.m. Entries up to that hour. Members may introduce visitors.

HANDBALL.

CIVIC GUARDS' CHAMPIONSHIP.

The second round of the Junior (Doubles) Championship was entered on at the Depot, although a few matches yet remain to be played in the first round, which had to be delayed owing to the duties of some of the entrants. The games yesterday were most enjoyable. Guards R. Morgan and M. Grey are a fine combination, and after winning the first game by 21-3 they took matters easily in the second. In the third, Kealy fought them well, but got no assistance from Forde.

Guards J. Kelit and B. Colony beat Guards M. Sharkey and J. Moriarty, 21-18, 16-21, 21-14, in the first round.

Second round—Guards T. McKee and J. Healy beat Guards J. Cassidy and W. Dunphy, 21-3, 21-6. Guards M. Keaveny and J. Ryan beat Scanian beat Sergeant P. Murphy and G. Wright, 21-18, 21-19. Guards T. Morgan and M. Grey beat Guards J. Kealy and J. Forde, 21-3, 3-21, 21-16.

Friendlies—Superintendent D. Twomey and Sergeant M. Kelly beat Superintendent J. Gantley and Sergeant J. Beale, 21-19, 21-17. Superintendent Driscoll and Guard J. Forde beat Chief Superintendent Neligan and Guard J. McCrehan, 21-18, 21-12.

ATHLETICS.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The annual Schools and Colleges' Championships, under the auspices of the N.A. and C.A. will take place on Monday in Croke Park, commencing at 2 o'clock. The entries are over fifty in excess of last year. All the scholastic institutions which have won a name for themselves in athletics are sending representatives, and entries from other quarters promise an interesting challenge to the supremacy of the leading establishments. Each province and most counties will be represented, and the programme comprises Juvenile, Junior and Senior events. While the lower grade competitions will not lack interest the struggle for the College of Surgeons Cup, which goes to the School or College scoring the highest marks in Senior events, is certain to be a keen one.

SWIMMING.—Keep in touch with current events in the Swimming world by reading the article which appears weekly in *The Irish Field*. Published every Saturday.—(Advt.)

GOLF.

AMATEUR INTERNATIONAL. THE TEAMS.

The team to represent England against Scotland in the annual international match which precedes the Amateur Championship was announced yesterday. It will be led by C. J. H. Tolley, who, in the Singles, will oppose Robert Harris, the amateur champion. The order of play for the match, which takes place to-day at Muirfield, by Singles and Foursomes, is as follows:—

ENGLAND.	SCOTLAND.
C. J. H. Holley.	Robert Harris.
Sir E. Holderness.	John Wilson.
R. H. Wethered.	T. A. Torrance.
R. E. Storey.	H. A. Murray.
Hon. Michael Scott.	R. C. Jenkins.
W. F. Ellison.	Willis Mackenzie.
H. N. Layton.	W. L. Hope.
J. N. Layton.	J. Gordon Simpson.
R. W. Hartley.	J. Caven.
In the Foursomes the order will be:—	T. Torrance and
Tolley and Gillies	Harris and Wilson.
Holderness & Wethered.	T. Torrance and
	Murray.
Storey and Ellison.	Jenkins and Simpson.
Beck and Scott.	Hope & W. E. Torrance.
Layton and Hartley.	Mackenzie and Caven.

WELSH LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

Miss M. C. Justice yesterday beat a Tenby Club-mate, Mrs. A. Bradley, by 4 and 3, in the final of the Welsh Ladies' Championship, at Aberdovey. On the first round Miss Justice was 1 up.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY GOLFING SOCIETY.

A meeting was held in No. 7 T.C.D. on Thursday, Mr. H. Thrift, K., T.C.D., President, in the chair.

The following temporary committee was appointed:—The President, Hon. Secretary (Mr. A. D. Pringle), and Dr. L. Werner.

It was decided that the subscription should remain as heretofore, 10/- life membership, £5/-.

A team for the Societies tournament was selected and a match v. Dublin University Golf Club arranged for the beginning of July.

Any club or society willing to play a match with the Society is asked to communicate with the Hon. Secretary, 15 T.C.D.

HOLIDAY FIXTURES. WHIT MONDAY.

Royal Dublin.—Sweepstakes, strokes. Portmarnock.—Morning—Foursomes, strokes. Afternoon—Fourball, best ball, bogey.

Milltown.—Gold medal. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

Dun Laoghaire.—Members' Cup (36 holes). Hermitage.—Men's fourball, mixed foursomes (nine holes).

Castle.—Morning—Fourball, bogey. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

Rathfarnham.—Men's fourball. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

Foxrock.—Fourball, bogey.

Newlands.—Morning—18 holes and ladies' nine holes, strokes. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

Grange.—Morning—Stroke competition. Afternoon—Fourball, strokes.

Bray.—Morning—Singles, bogey. Afternoon—Fourball, strokes.

Tullamore.—Morning—Eclectic sweepstakes. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

Lucan.—Whitsuntide Challenge Cup.

Carrickmines.—Men's singles, strokes.

Howth.—Morning—Men's fourball. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

Skerries.—Captain's prize, 36 holes, strokes; also fourball.

Greystones.—Morning—Open singles, strokes. Afternoon—Open fourball.

Woodenbridge.—Hotel Cup (open); strokes.

Clontarf.—Morning—Fourball. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

BARTON CUP.

ST. ANNE'S v. HERMITAGE.

At St. Anne's.		At Hermitage.	
B. Drum and D. J. O'Neill (a) 1up	1	J. J. M'Gowran and T. Lenihan	0
J. F. Stuart and J. M. Kavanagh (3 and 2)	1	M. M'Donald and L. Caulfield	0
At Hermitage—			
W. Collins and M. C. Ryan (4 and 3)	1	Dr. Kissane and T. Healy	0
J. Shiels and D. Christian	0	T. Cormack and W. J. Towell (6 and 5)	1
H. Coughlan and F. Murray	1	J. Scott and J. F. Doyle (7 and 5)	1
	2		2

CARLOW LADIES' OPEN MEETING.

A very successful ladies' meeting was held at Oak Park, Carlow, on Thursday. There was the record entry of 67 for the morning events, and 76 for the afternoon foursomes.

Stroke competition—Captain's prize—Mrs. Owens (Ragenalstown) (21) 71 net. First prize, Class B—Mrs. Nolan (Greystones) (18), 73 net. Best gross—Miss Jackson (Island) (plus 2), 82.

Foursomes—First prize, Mrs. Boddy (Athy) and Miss Treacy (Carlow), 79 net; second prize, Mrs. Hunt (Tramore) and Mrs. McHugh (Carlow), 75 net.

Long Driving—Best average, Mrs. Hunt (Tramore), average, 157½ yards. Longest drive—Miss Jackson (Island), 178 yards.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—Whit Monday—Sweepstakes, strokes.

PORTMARNOCK.—Whit Monday—Foursomes in the morning. 36 hole ball v. bogey in the afternoon. Entry in couples at the clubhouse. Morning trains from Amiens street 9.0, 9.50, 10.35, 11.40.

MILLTOWN.—Whit Monday—Gold medal. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes.

As some owners and helmsmen of the Yawl will be sailing in other class matches, it is difficult to say at present how many will be entered to start in to-day's race for the class, the strength of which, under Wag Club auspices, has been shown to be at least nine boats.

All the above races will start on the new D.B.S.C. line, between the first hauling buoy, off the eastern end of the Scotsman's Bay, and the Carlisle Pier. On it also will start for the first time the Seapoint Boat Club's matches for the Nos. 2 and 3 Classes, the first to start at 3.30 and 3.35 p.m., respectively. Will owners please note that these times are arbitrary.

Both classes are practically as they were last season, but in the No. 1 Sho Shi will be absent, she, like Maureen, being on the slip at Ringsend waiting for a fit to be put on her off. That high tide is not due until Tuesday next.

At Howth, Zaida (Mr. H. Poole) is now ready, and there will be three 17-Footers available for the club match for the class. Yachting at Howth is quite handicapped by the rise of the port as a fishing station, and wheel the herring scows is in yachts really will have very little business there.

ARRIVAL OF THE LADY EDITH.

An interesting arrival on Saturday morning at Kingstown was the Lady Edith, the ex-12-metre cutter, cut down in sail spread requirements to handicap limit 20 rating. She has been purchased recently on the Clyde. A very handsome vessel, with not too pronounced overhangs, her coming greatly strengthens the local handicap class for yachts over 10 tons. Caribo, Mr. Herbert Dodgeon's fine yawl, has also arrived. If Kingstown is losing Tigris, the coming of Lady Edith more than fills the vacancy, for her class mate now will be Mavourneen (due for launching next week), Elmo, Caribo and Espanola.

CRUISERS UNDER 10 TONS.

The R.A.Y.C. match down on the programme for to-day has been postponed until Saturday, July 17th. Only a limit of that ton of the class are ready in commission. Shella II., Nirvana, and Eileen are ready, but Kiyama is neaped at Ringsend.

GAELIC GAMES.

KILDARE V. LOUTH AT CROKE PARK.

(BY PAT'O.)

A decade ago, the meeting of Kildare and Louth in Gaelic football was the strongest attraction in Leinster. Of late years, neither county has been in the foreground of the picture in recent years. A distinct evidence of revival has been, however, apparent since 1924. Kildare's home victory over Kerry last Sunday was a "friendly" suggests a recovery of talent in the Curragh country and its environments. When Kildare, Kerry and Louth were the Gaelic football code knew no extinction fifteen years ago, their football was of a high class—robust, yet clean, virile and aggressive, yet finished and clever. These characteristics played the game's sake, and thousands flocked to support them.

Louth County has recovered by slow stages, and ten of to-morrow's fifteen were playing in the junior ranks a year ago. Performing very creditably then, they aspire to senior honours. They have played well in the Inter-County League, and have won a big proportion of their recent games. They meet strong opposition to-morrow, for Kildare are available of the "non-resident" rule in calling on the services of three men now attached to Dublin clubs. These are Stanley, Magan and Higgins. One wonders whether Paul Doyle, of McKee—a brilliant performer in all recent games—can play for his native county. Had he declared for Kildare, his presence would be very important, and might turn the tide against Louth. I like Kildare's chances this year, and the Leinster Championship seems more open than usual.

Hollday matches are popular, and many city clubs are making a week-end trip. The Civic Guards go to Killarney to play a Kerry selection in the picturesque groun

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At 7.45, Last Night of BROMLEY CHALLENOR
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MATINEE (TO-DAY) SATURDAY, 2.30.
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"AUTUMN FIRE,"
A Play in Three Acts by T. C. Murray.
Booking at Theatre (10.30 to 3, and 4.30 to 6), and at Clery's, Lower O'Connell street.

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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), MAY 23rd, 8 o'clock,
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G. Bernard Shaw.
WHIT MONDAY, MAY 24th, and the Following Nights, Matinee Saturday, 2.30,
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BEN LYON & VIOLA DANA
IN
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DAILY at 2.40, 4.50, 7.0 and 9.10 p.m.

METROPOLE BALLROOM.
A CARNIVAL DANCE AND CABARET
Will be held
TO-DAY (SATURDAY),
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NOTICE OF MARRIAGE.
To Arthur L. Agnew, Registrar of the District of Dublin, in the County and City of Dublin.
I, THE undersigned, F. Hulsbosch, hereby give you Notice that a Marriage is intended to be had by Licence, within three calendar months from the date hereof, between me and the other party named and described—that is to say, Franciscus Gerardus Cornelius Hulsbosch, Divorce, Architect, full age, residing for over a month at 4 St. Bridget's terrace, Dollymount, and Grietje Engeltje van de Velde, Spinster, full age, and residing for seven days at the same address, neither parties usually attending a place of worship.
Building in which the marriage is to be solemnised—Registrar's Office, 23-4 Wellington quay, Dublin.
Witness my hand this 18th day of May, 1926.
F. HULSBOSCH.

DUBLIN UNION.
NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF AUDIT.
Notice is hereby given that A. E. Ellis, Esq., Local Government Department Auditor, has audited the Accounts of the Commissioners of the Dublin Union for the Half-Years ended 30th September, 1922; 31st March, 1923; 30th September, 1923; 31st March, 1924; 30th September, 1924, and 31st March, 1925, and has reported thereon to the Local Government Department.
A copy of the Auditor's Report and of the Abstracts therein referred to can be obtained at this Office during Office hours by any person applying for same and paying to the Commissioners therefor the sum of sixpence.
Dated this 12th day of May, 1926.
JOHN P. CONDON,
Clerk of the Union.
Clerk's Office, 1 James's street, Dublin.

BIBLE CHURCHMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (DUBLIN AUXILIARY).
A Meeting for Conference and Prayer will (D.V.) be held on TUESDAY NEXT, 25th MAY, at 7.30 p.m., in the Y.M.C.A., Lower Abbey street.

IRISH FRANCISCAN PILGRIMAGE
TO
ROME, ASSISI AND PADUA
(To Commemorate the Seventh Centenary of the Death of St. Francis),
WILL LEAVE DUBLIN, SEPT 26th, 1926.
The following places will be visited, and ample opportunities afforded the Pilgrims of visiting the principal objects of interest:—
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THE PRO-CATHEDRAL, DUBLIN.
PENTECOST SUNDAY,
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HIGH MASS AT 12 O'CLOCK.
HIS GRACE THE ARCHBISHOP
Will Preside, and will give
BENEDICTION AFTER MASS.

THIS IS YOUR WEEKLY REMINDER
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The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, MAY 22, 1926.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Railways (Officers and Employés) Bill passed the Committee stage in the Dail yesterday.—(Page 5.)

The Synod of the Church of Ireland concluded its session at the Synod Hall, Christ Church place, Dublin, yesterday.—(Page 8.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The coal-owners have rejected the Government's proposals for the settlement of the coal strike.—(Page 7.)

The difficulties concerning the reinstatement of British railwaymen who went on strike have been removed as the result of a conference between the managers and representatives of the unions.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Telegrams from Paris and Madrid announce that the Moroccan tribes are submitting and that the Franco-Spanish advance is meeting with little resistance.—(Page 7.)

M. Péret, French Minister of Finance, yesterday expressed satisfaction with the improved position of the franc, and announced that the Government had reached an agreement with the Bank.—(Page 7.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were fairly steady. A feature was the strength of Tobacco Shares.—(Page 10.)

The Treasury bill rate fell from 4 9-16 per cent. to 4 5-16 per cent. Discounts, however, were firmer. Loans were in ample supply at 4-3/2 per cent. French francs are still improving.—(Page 10.)

In Dublin there was a quiet market, and price changes were small, except a rise of ½ in Mooney (J. G.) Ord. to 10½.—(Page 10.)

To-day and To-morrow.

Most of our present discontents in Ireland are reactions from a generous, but foolish, optimism. The people expected too much from self-government and expected it too quickly. Now a wave of gloom is sweeping the country because, three and a half years after the establishment of the Free State, many political problems are unsolved, taxation is high, poverty is widespread and emigration has not ceased. For such despondency the study of the history of old, settled and prosperous communities is the best of all correctives. How many persons could name the two bodies of troops which have spent the longest period of military service in England? The honour belongs to no regiments on the present Army List. When the Emperor Claudius entered London in the fifth decade of the first century of our Era he brought with him four legions, and two of these—Legions II. and XX.—remained in England for four hundred years. The first to come, they were the last to go when Rome's Empire was threatened from the East. They were a part of England, founders of her stock and character, moulders of the temper of her laws, during a period as long as the interval between King Henry VIII. and King George V., and more than half as long as the British occupation of Ireland. Compared with those four hundred years, now—

"forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day"—

what are the first three years of the separate existence of the Irish Free State? Her people's present impatience reveals either a lack of the sense of proportion, due to their lamentable education, or a lack of faith in their country's future. Nations that build for posterity, like Rome and England, build, not always peacefully, but always surely, and with a fine confidence in the national genius. The Free State, indeed, has done much in less than four years. She has been able *paucis imponere morem*, and she has laid foundations of progress. It was idle to hope, however, that in four years a whole host of inherited problems could be solved or that an economic system, shattered by the shocks of revolution, could be made stable and prosperous. Those who demand such achievement from their first Government are demanding the impossible.

Ireland would envisage her future more wisely if she would divide her purpose into two branches—those things for which she can afford to wait and those which need her immediate attention. The former include her full political development within the British Empire, the attainment of unity between her own two States, the adjustment of those difficulties of sentiment and tradition which to-day embarrass the relations between North and South and between class and class in the *Saorstat*. The political problems are not really urgent; on the contrary, any premature attempt to solve them must intensify them. In conflicts of sentiment and tradition—if we take good government for granted—time is a certain healer. We believe, for instance, that the question of compulsory Irish will settle itself within the next ten or twenty years through the quiet operation of economic laws. In leaving such matters to posterity—by which time, perhaps, like Christian's burden, they will have ceased to vex—the present generation can bring all its forces to the task that it really owes to posterity. It can strive, with eager and unhampered zeal, to save the country from any permanent loss of wealth. The national legacy for which this generation is trusted must pass, if not enriched, at least intact to its children. Our country's most pressing problem to-day is the revival of her agricultural industry. She is losing her markets; if they are not recaptured quickly, they may not be recaptured at all; and, if they are lost irreparably, all will be lost. A congress at Cairo decided, on Wednesday, that the Caliphate was a "scientific necessity." Whatever the future may hold for Ireland, the English market will be always a "scientific necessity" for her; and upon that vital fact the main economic policy of her people must be based. The battle for the English market carries issues of life and death for Ireland. She needs an army of educated farmers more urgently to-day than any country in Europe needs an army of highly-trained soldiers. Our political discontents are mischievous because they tend to obscure that need.

The Coal Crisis.

The coal crisis in England has taken another serious turn. Yesterday the colliery-owners followed the example of the miners by their refusal to accept the Prime Minister's proposal for a settlement of their dispute, and the situation at the moment is rather worse than it was three weeks ago, when all work stopped in the pits. The Government subvention, which had kept the mining industry alive for nine months, came to an end on April 30th. As masters and men were unable to agree to a formula on which their industry might be conducted without official subsidy, a "lock-out" was declared, to be followed almost immediately by the general strike. The strike was fought and defeated by the Government; but when it was over the coal dispute was as far from settlement as ever it had been. Taking advantage of the new situation, Mr. Stanley Baldwin a week ago announced that, as agreement between owners and miners seemed to be impossible, he had decided to propose terms of settlement in order to bring the lamentable stoppage to an end. He suggested, in the first place, the complete reorganisation of the coal industry on the basis of the Samuel Report, and the grant of a further subvention of £3,000,000 to enable the reforms to be undertaken without loss to anybody. He proposed also the establishment of a National Wages Board, and the acceptance by the miners of a small reduction in pay. The men declared themselves to be in favour of the majority of the Premier's proposals, but they would not hear of a wages "cut," however small, and they raised some objections to the constitution of the proposed Wages Board, which was to have consisted of three representatives of the owners, three of the miners, and an independent chairman. Strangely enough, the owners are equally opposed to the idea of an independent chairman. The negotiations have collapsed completely, and the task of reconciliation may not be resumed until Parliament reassembles after the Whitsuntide recess.

The last big coal strike in England endured for thirteen weeks, and in the opinion of Mr. Ramsay Macdonald the present stoppage may continue for an almost indefinite period of time. There is much obstinacy on both sides, and, without Government intervention, nothing but a process of attrition is likely to bring about a settlement. Mr. Baldwin proposes to make a statement to-day in answer to owners and men alike. He is faced with clear alternatives. He can leave the disputants to their own devices, washing his hands of their squabbles, and leaving the stoppage to the awful arbitrament of exhaustion; and he can assert his authority as head of the nation by imposing a settlement. No British Premier within living memory has enjoyed greater personal prestige than Mr. Baldwin enjoys to-day, and the nation would support him if he should choose to insist in the national interests that the coal dispute must be settled. Masters and men are kicking against the pricks. Both sides seem to ignore the fact that old conditions in the coal industry never can be revived. Britain's virtual monopoly has gone for ever. The competition of oil, coupled with the cheap production of coal in Germany and the United States, has put an end to the great prosperity that was enjoyed by the British coal industry during the latter half of the nineteenth century; and it is as essential now that the owners shall abandon their almost feudal attitude as it is that the workers shall accept a reduction of their pay. Undoubtedly, substantial economies could be made by a thorough overhauling of the whole industry; but in the long run the wages bill constitutes the heaviest burden which it has to carry. Whether the present stoppage last for another week or another year, this fact must be faced when negotiations are resumed. If, therefore, there is an iota of statesmanship in the councils of either party to the dispute, no time will be lost in coming to real grips with the problem. A prolonged stoppage—be it "lock-out" or strike—can achieve nothing but ruin.

Ancient Records.

Yesterday reference was made at the General Synod of the Church of Ireland to recent progress in the reconstruction of records which were lost in the burning of the Four Courts. An energetic committee of scholars, among whom Canon J. B. Leslie takes a directing part, is gathering and collating copies of registers, wills, deeds, lists of clergy and similar documents. The committee relies mainly upon the co-operation of public-spirited persons who are prepared to supply transcripts from their private archives, but the Synod approved the purchase, where necessary, of books and manuscripts. Many a family possesses old papers which appear to have no importance or even interest; yet these musty leaves may contain clues by which students would be able to complete chains of deduction. It is a public duty to assist those who are compiling the *data* by means of which the memory of the dead can be restored. The histories of parishes, churches, towns and families all await their annalists, and to-day the very material on which scholars must work stands in danger of oblivion. If the present generation fails speedily to furnish to authorised collectors such copies as survive of the abundant records that were scattered to the winds, the holocaust of 1922 will have worked irretrievable injury. Thousands of families will suffer a lasting hiatus in their records which might be supplied from papers in their neighbours' keeping. From hundreds of villages and old houses the names of folk who lived and died within their walls will be lost for ever. In every walk of life there are people who have an intimate personal interest in the Hearth Money Rolls, which recorded names of our forebears of the seventeenth century in every corner of the land; and at present it is unknown what portions of these records survive in copies.

An Aerial Time-Table.

The important part which aerial transit now plays in the daily life of Europe is made manifest by the appearance of an aerial "A B C" guide-book. This document, which is issued by Imperial Airways, comprises a summer time-table that contains full particulars of regular services between London and no fewer than fifty-two Continental centres. Fares are stated, both single and return, together with the baggage rate for all journeys. A map shows the network of air routes which connects the principal political and commercial centres of Europe one with another. A time-table indicates the time involved in journeys from point to point. It is interesting to learn from this table that day trips may be made from London—rising and alighting at Croydon on the outward and inward journeys—to such places as Ostend, Brussels, and Paris, allowing a stay of six or seven hours in the place chosen. The machines used in these flights carry, as a rule, from twelve to sixteen passengers. Even when the Great War ended it would have seemed incredible that in a few years flying would be rendered so safe and so comfortable that travellers would journey by air without fear or hesitation. If progress is maintained at the same rate during the next eight years, who can guess what changes in the habits of men and in the relations of the peoples of Europe will result? Already the Mediterranean has been brought within eight hours' journey of London, and ten foreign lands may be reached in the same time. The armed frontiers and tariff walls below them increasingly appear to be anachronisms that must pass away.

WHITE ELEPHANTS.

OBJECTS OF VENERATION.

(BY D. G. S.)

The term "white elephant" has served so long to express an annoying incubus that it has come as a surprise to many to learn that such animals do exist, and this week all London is flocking to the "Zoo" to see the latest arrival. The specimen, though very small for an adult, is an unusually fine example of albinism. Unlike the so-called "white elephants," who have proved to be merely light in colour, this one has a hide devoid of any colouring, and eyes which are of the yellowish pink characteristic of albinos.

Albinism is a condition which sometimes affects almost every species of animal (including man) and bird, and even reptiles. There is a white cobra in the London "Zoo," for example. The condition is due to absence of pigmentation, and is often associated with general weakness of constitution. That albinism tends to be inherited is shown by the breeds of white rats and mice, but in the case of wild animals the condition is rare. The law of the survival of the fittest accounts in a measure for this rarity, but, perhaps, the strongest reason is that the conspicuous colour makes albinos an easy prey to their enemies. Experiments have shown that albinism does not of itself militate against the chances of survival; for albinos are as readily taken as mates as the normally pigmented animals. Nevertheless, the condition is so rare that in the case of elephants an albino is given a semi-sacred *status* by the natives of Burmah and Siam.

The ancient rulers of Ava considered their proudest title to be "King of the White Elephant," and on one occasion Siam waged a long war with a neighbouring State for the possession of one of these animals. Many ceremonies marked the arrival of such an animal, which was given the title of "Lord," and was placed in the custody of a high State official. The lucky finder of a white elephant, too, was raised to the peerage, whatever his previous station in life, and enjoyed many privileges, such as exemption from taxation.

In view of the veneration in which these animals are still held, it is not surprising that Europe has had little opportunity of seeing a white elephant on exhibition. The one now in temporary residence in London has been lent by the National Karen of Burmah, an association of Christian natives, and is specially housed in a "temple," with a retinue of natives under Dr. Sau Po Min, the President of the organisation. Owing to its sacred character, Pawa, as the animal is named, will not be commercialised by being ridden by visitors. Illogically enough, the profits likely to accrue from the exhibition of Pawa will be taken by the President, for the purposes of his association.

GOVERNMENT OF IRELAND ACT.

An Order-in-Council in last night's *London Gazette* revokes certain Orders relating to Northern Ireland, under the Government of Ireland Act. The Orders revoked from 1st April, 1926, are:—The Provisional Government of Council of Ireland) Order, 1922; the Diseases of Animals (Northern Ireland) Order, 1924, and the Fisheries (Northern Ireland) Order, 1925.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

Motoring to Exeter, after his visit to New Quay and the Duchy Estates, the Prince of Wales, looking greatly benefited, left at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon by rail for Paddington, London. The Prince reached Paddington at 7.45 p.m., and left for York House, St. James's Palace.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Their Majesties are spending Whitsuntide at Buckingham Palace, where their visitors during the past couple of days have included Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, Captain the Hon. Alexander Ramsay and Lady Patricia Ramsay, and the Infante Alfonso and the Infanta Beatrice of Orleans-Bourbon. Major-General Sir William Fry was received by the King on relinquishing his appointment as Lieutenant-Governor of the Isle of Man.

Though the Whitsuntide visit of the King and Queen to Aldershot was cancelled during the strike, the Queen motored there yesterday and unveiled a tablet in the Louise Margaret Hospital, which commemorates the extension of the institution and the provision of a ward for the wives and daughters of officers.

The Prince of Wales returned to London yesterday afternoon from his visit to the Duchy of Cornwall, and in the evening dined with the United States Ambassador at Crewe House. Saturday, May 29th, has now been fixed for the baptism of the infant daughter of the Duke and Duchess of York. The ceremony will take place in the private chapel at Buckingham Palace. Among Prince Henry's coming engagements is the inspection of the St. John Ambulance Brigade (No. 1 Prince of Wales's District), which will take place on Saturday, June 5th, on the Exhibition Ground, Hyde Park.

The Duke of Connaught fulfilled his first public engagement since his return from the Riviera when he presided at the annual meeting of the Royal Cambridge Home for Soldiers' Widows, which was established at Kingston-on-Thames seventy-five years ago. Colonel Sir Augustus Fitz-George proposed, and Major-General W. Cumberland seconded the vote of thanks to the Duke.

The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire intend to remain at Lismore Castle till after Whitsuntide. The Earl of Balfour will leave London to-day for a week's stay in the country. Viscount and Viscountess Elveden, the Countess of Strafford, with her son and daughter, the Earl of Stamford and Lady Jane Grey, Lord and Lady Carson, Viscount Peel and Lord Balfour of Burleigh are among the latest departures from London.

Lord and Lady Osborne Beauclerk are spending Whitsuntide in the South of Ireland, but will leave shortly for London, where the marriage of Lady Patricia Beresford, youngest daughter of the late Marquis of Waterford and Lady Osborne Beauclerk, with Mr. Lynden Roberts Miller will take place early

DON LETTER.

LIBERAL PARTY.

FLEET STREET, LONDON.
FRIDAY NIGHT.

George's rupture with Lords Grey has for the moment over- ther political considerations. bers take a serious view of the at has now arisen, and foresee of the internal party difficul- ve been public property since ion of the Coalition. Since at is left of the Liberal Party e of Commons has been sharply three sections, every one of made no secret of its distrust s. There is little doubt that George's retirement, at any his present official position, the way to amity and fusion, ot of that temperament and t thinks lightly of resignation lection as chairman of the ght drift towards the Labour is reception there, however, ld. The rank and file of the y consider that they have their ment of *intelligentsia*, who nopolise the spoils when pre- disposal. It will be recalled oor, the Chief Labour Whip, ed by his friends when he the advanced Radical wing w to some working political

Workers' Plight.

f the railway unions are in raits to appease those of their o have not been re-employed some harsh things are being men who find themselves in a direct result of illegal in- come out. The leaders, there- andoned their cherished guar- , and suggest working short normal conditions are restored stry. They even go so far as the men being taken back as orkers. The companies have ched on these lines, but with- At present they have room certain number of men, and s improve those workers who remain out. Coal dominates ; there are many industries pplying material for use in re, and, if all these articles heduled, the proceedings of on will be prolonged. There greement among the Powers t, and considerable difficulty tered when it comes to mark- line as to what is, and what ncluded in the term "arma-

Friday before Whitsuntide uch activity at the London ns, but there was little sign ush away from town to-day. e excursions been largely ordinary services have been ll lines. The stoppage of s rendered it necessary for mpanies to conserve all their oal, and there will be no the time-tables until fuel ired. There was, however, g of traffic on the roads e coast, and many people ay by car. Not only were umerous, but the proprietors ches have taken advantage d train services to enlarge mes of trips to the seaside. c has been quick to avail facilities for getting away

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e with their usual custom, laying their Whitsuntide tingham, so the Oval will t London cricket enthusiasts choice of two excellent dlesex playing Sussex at sex opposing Worcester at he general sports meetings e most important is the Festival at Herne Hill. A programme has been ading races of four miles, nts and relays, as well as ch, which, as usual, will dancing.

MARY AT WOLVER-HAMPTON.

Mary, accompanied by les, visited Wolverhampton opened the engineering and ck of the Technical College, rected by a joint committee, Wolverhampton and Staf- on authorities, at a cost of

children greeted the Princess ire Song." lles said that the opening of rked an era in local technical

eception the Princess visited nage, where an illuminated ented to her. She returned all, Shropshire, the seat of

THE COAL DEADLOCK.

OWNERS REJECT GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSALS.

RAILWAY SETTLEMENT.

SUSPENSION OF GUARANTEED WEEK.

THIS is the twenty-second day of the coal strike, and there is no sign of a settlement. Yesterday the mine-owners rejected the Government's proposals.

They state that the only way in which a drastic reduction in the cost of producing coal can be secured without inflicting hardship on certain workmen is by restoring the eight hours' day.

Freedom from industrial unrest and political interference, they declare, are essential to the prosperity of the industry. The initiation of the policies contemplated by the Royal Commission would increase the difficulties of restoring sound economic conditions.

The Government will reply to the miners and the coal-owners to-day.

The difficulties concerning the reinstatement of the British railwaymen who went on strike have been removed. The managers and representatives of the unions met last night, and arranged for the suspension of the guaranteed week, so that a greater number of men can be employed.

COAL OWNERS' CASE.

WHY PROPOSALS WERE REJECTED.

The coal owners, like the miners, have rejected the Government's proposals for the settlement of the strike. In a document which they forwarded to the Government yesterday afternoon they stated:—

1.—The coal industry, like other industries subject to world conditions, is governed by economic necessities from which there is no escape. To attempt to ignore them can only result in still further increasing unemployment, not only in the coal industry, but throughout the country generally, and adding to the burden of losses which the coal industry is bearing.

2.—There is only one way in which the drastic reduction in the cost of the production of coal which the situation demands can be secured without involving hardships for certain of the workmen, particularly in the large exporting districts, and that is by the restoration of the eight-hour day. The reductions in wage rates which would then suffice to bridge the remaining gap would not exceed an average of ten per cent. when wages are at the minimum in the worst placed district, and even this sacrifice would be more apparent than real, since it would result in fuller employment and higher actual earnings.

FREEDOM NEEDED.

3.—The industry requires freedom and stability in its operations, as conditions essential to its prosperity, and the initiating of policies, either legislative or administrative, such as are contemplated in certain of the recommendations of the Royal Commission, must inevitably have the effect of restricting its operations and increasing the difficulty of a reinstatement on sound economic conditions based upon the interests of the community.

4.—The coal-owners are convinced that the proposals submitted to them on May 14th, calculated as they are to limit freedom of administration, will not be helpful in securing the ultimate result that is aimed at—namely, the increased efficiency of the industry. Indeed, it must be stated emphatically that it will be impossible to continue the conduct of the industry under private enterprise, unless it is accorded the same freedom from political interference as is enjoyed by other industries.

In conclusion, the owners desire to make it clear that they are fully alive to the importance, both to the industry and to the country, of pressing forward every development, both in organisation and in technique, that will assist in securing the maximum degree of efficiency.

CONDITIONS OF SUCCESS.

What is necessary in order that progress may continue unhampered is a period of freedom from industrial unrest and political interference, which will restore confidence and provide more opportunity for giving consideration to the real problems of the industry.

Given such conditions, the owners can guarantee that throughout the industry there will be a conscious and systematic effort directed to its development, and they are confident that in this way the progressive improvement in the standard of living of those employed in the coal industry, which was effected right up to the outbreak of the war, will be continued in the future.

MR. COOK'S VIEWS.

GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE OVER THE MINES.

Interviewed last night on the proposals contained in the coal-owners' reply to the Prime Minister, Mr. A. J. Cook, Secretary of the Miners' Federation, said:—

"It is quite evident by the coal-owners' proposals that they are still in the same position as in July last year. They strongly opposed to any Government interference whatever that restricts their power to govern the industry. They want absolute freedom in conjunction with the royalty owners, the middleman and the sales agents to exploit the industry and the workers for their benefit.

"They again declare emphatically that there is nothing wrong with the industry. Their only desire is to reduce the conditions of their employés, the miners, to abject slavery. They declare, without a blush, in favour of both longer hours and lower wages, and refuse absolutely to consider any proposal for reorganising the industry. Their attitude is one that the public now can clearly understand.

"They are going to use the whole of their resources, backed by the British Government, to crush the British miners. This they will never do, as the whole of the British Labour movement will again rally unanimously to the miners' support in defence of their present standard of living.

"It is now for the Government, if they have the interest of the community at heart, as they declare that they have, at once to take over the collieries, and control them, in the interests of the community, and secure to the miners, who invest their lives, economic security."

TRANSPORT OF COAL.

APPEAL TO OTHER UNIONS.

The following letter regarding the handling of coal during the present crisis has been sent on behalf of the Federation by Mr. A. J. Cook, Secretary, to Mr. C. T. Cramp, Industrial Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen; Mr. J. Bromley, Secretary of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, and Mr. Ernest Bevin, Secretary of the Transport and General Workers:

"My Committee have been discussing today the question of transporting and conveying coal that is already stacked in sidings or at the docks. We feel sure that your members will not do anything detrimental to our interests, and will still assist us, as far as possible, in the struggle which we are now engaged in. I am sure you will realise that by handling coal it will affect us in our struggle."

MAGDALEN HONOURS MR. GEOFFREY DAWSON.

Magdalen College, Oxford, has elected Mr. Geoffrey Dawson, editor of *The Times*, to an Honorary Fellowship. Educated at Eton and Magdalen, Mr. Dawson was elected a Demy of the latter College from 1895 to 1897, and became Fellow of All Souls' in 1898. Except for an interval of four years, he has been editing *The Times* since 1912. He was Private Secretary to Lord Milner in South Africa from 1901 to 1905, and then for five years edited the *Johannesburg Star*.

RAILWAY DIFFICULTY.

MANAGERS AND MEN FIND A SOLUTION.

Late last night it was officially announced that the difficulties connected with the reinstatement of railwaymen had been settled.

There had been a conference during the day between representatives of the companies and representatives of the trade unions, and at 6 o'clock, when Mr. J. H. Thomas and his colleagues left to report to their Executive Committees, the situation was stated to be critical.

The Executives of the unions deliberated for about three hours, and then their representatives had another meeting with the managers. The final joint conference took place at the offices of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company at Euston, and lasted nearly two and a half hours.

The railway managers were represented by the Right Hon. H. G. Burgess, General Manager of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway; Mr. C. Miller, Great Western Railway; Sir Ralph Wedgwood, London North-Eastern Railway, and Mr. A. Harris, Southern Railway, while the unions were represented by the Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, M.P., and Mr. C. T. Cramp, National Union of Railwaymen; Mr. John Bromley, Amalgamated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen; Mr. J. G. Walkden, Railway Clerks' Association, and other officials. At the conclusion of the meeting at a late hour last night the following official statement was issued:—

"It is officially announced that at a meeting held to-day between the railway companies and the railway trade unions, arrangements were made for the suspension of the guaranteed week, which was satisfactory to both parties.

"The adoption of these arrangements will enable the companies to spread out the work in such a way as to remove the difficulties which have arisen as to the reinstatement of the staff who were recently on strike."

A MANAGER'S APPEAL.

Sir Herbert Walker, general manager of the Southern Railway, has issued a special message to the company's staff, pointing out that their prosperity depends on the prosperity of the company, which employs them, and that the success of the company depends largely on the support, energy and whole-heartedness of the staff.

"I want, therefore, to say to you," he adds, "that on the side of the management the strike is over and done with. There is, and shall be, no spirit of bitterness. May I hope and believe that there will be none on the part of any member of the staff? We all serve the same company, we all belong to the same enterprise, and our interests and the interests of the Southern Railway are identical. Let us go forward together, looking, as the Prime Minister has said, to the future, trusting that our efforts will meet with every success. We on the management side will leave no stone unturned to make that success a certainty."

NO STRIKE PAY.

MINERS APPLY TO GET INTO WORKHOUSE.

It was officially announced at Nuneaton yesterday that there would be no strike pay for Warwickshire miners this week-end. All the available funds were absorbed last week when the first and only payment of ten shillings for men and five shillings for boys was made.

Long queues of miners assembled yesterday at the poor law offices for relief.

Four thousand Nottinghamshire miners yesterday marched to the Poor Law offices at Basford to protest against the cutting down of the relief scale to their families. Single men demanded admission to the workhouse.

The Guardians intimated that they could not legally relieve single able-bodied men who were on strike, but the relieving officers would deal with any extreme cases of destitution.

The men, who had walked many miles, were inclined to persist in their demand for admission, but ultimately followed the advice of one of their leaders to return to their districts and see the relieving officers.

Derbyshire Miners' Association yesterday distributed its second strike pay to its members. A proposal to assist the Notts miners to the extent of £10,000 has been approved, and it is to be a gift, not a loan.

A DELUSION.

MR. CLYNES AND THE GENERAL STRIKE.

Mr. J. R. Clynes, M.P., speaking at Bournemouth last night, said that the failure of the strike was not due to *personnel*, and a like result would have come from any similar number of men faced with the same forces.

Those who shared the policy, or approved the idea, should be the last to denounce colleagues for handling a task which could not produce a successful result. The whole idea of trying to settle anything by such a method was a delusion, but out of the result they could gather most profitable experience.

PRINTING AND NEWSPAPER INDUSTRY.

The conference between representatives of the trade unions comprised in the Printing and Kindred Trades Federation and the Federation of Master Printers and the Newspaper Society was continued in London yesterday with a view to arriving at a final national settlement in the provincial newspaper industry and the general printing industry in London and the provinces.

After another all-day sitting, the conference was adjourned until Wednesday next, May 26th.

BRINGING DEATH TO CANCEROUS CELLS.

At the closing yesterday of the Royal Institute of Public Health Congress, Bristol, an important discussion took place on cancer treatments, in view of its increasing ravages. Professor Adams, the eminent pathologist, and Vice-Chancellor of Liverpool University, declared that the wisest and most fruitful course at present was to study, not what originated cancer, but what ended it. There should be better and surer methods of arresting cancerous growths, by bringing death to cancerous cells.

THE WHIT MONDAY MAILS.

EARLY SAILING FROM KINGSTOWN.

NIGHT DESPATCH TO THE PROVINCES.

SHIPPING OUTLOOK IN DUBLIN.

The Department of Posts and Telegraphs announces that the night mails from Dublin to the Irish provinces will be despatched as ordinarily on Whit Monday, the usual evening collections connecting with these despatches.

Owing to the suspension of the night boat service from Kingstown to Holyhead, the only despatch of mails for Great Britain will be by the boat from Kingstown at 8.50 a.m. on Whit Monday. Collections will be made in Dublin and the suburbs on Sunday night to connect with this despatch.

Correspondence for Great Britain posted on Whit Monday will be despatched by the mail boat on Tuesday.

In some shipping quarters in Dublin yesterday the belief was held that no decision had yet been reached regarding the running of a mail boat from Kingstown to Holyhead on Whit Monday, and that the matter would be settled this afternoon.

COMPANY'S TROUBLES.

CROSS-CHANNEL DELAYS.

An official of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company pointed out to an *Irish Times* representative last night that their difficulties were so great under the present circumstances that they could not guarantee any sailings for more than one or two days beforehand. He hoped that the public would appreciate this. The conserving of the coal supplies in Great Britain by the Government was the reason for the whole trouble.

Under the present conditions the mails from England do not reach Dublin until 6 o'clock in the evening, and are not delivered until the next morning. To catch this post from England it is necessary to post the letters, etc., the day before the boat sails. This means that letters both to and from England take more than two days to reach their destination.

"A HARDSHIP."

A correspondent writes:—"The stoppage of the night mail service at such short notice must cause great hardship on many business men over this week-end. Presumably letters received by Saturday night's boat will not be delivered until Tuesday morning, and those men, who depend upon their firms in England for their weekly remittances, will be deprived of their money until the holiday is over. It would be a great concession to us all if our Minister of Posts and Telegraphs would have a delivery on Saturday night, or would at least announce in the evening papers and broadcast, that letters arriving could be had by calling for them, as is usual, at holiday times."

LIFFEY SHIPPING.

There was little improvement in general shipping at the port of Dublin yesterday.

The cross-Channel services of the various companies are still very much curtailed owing to the shortage of coal on the one side, and the Government censorship on the amount consumed by the railways and shipping companies.

The London, Midland and Scottish steamship Slieve Donard left the North Wall for Holyhead with a full cargo. She carried 270 tons of general cargo, 60 horses, 160 cattle and 370 sheep.

Another of the same company's boats arrived yesterday morning from Holyhead with a full cargo of general goods.

It is not certain when the next cargo boat of this company will leave the North Wall for Holyhead, as the present services are only being run on what is almost a day-to-day schedule, and are liable to be changed at any moment. Notice, however, will be given by the company in ample time for arrangements to be made.

The general cross-Channel services from the Free State continue to be severely curtailed. The only service running on normal schedule is the British and Irish Steam Packet Company. One of the company's boats left the North Wall last night for Liverpool, with an extra large complement of 370 passengers.

The Continental and overseas services are more than holding its own at present, and sailings from and arrivals in Dublin take place as in normal times.

The unemployment at the port is still abnormal, and is likely to be so until a settlement of the coal dispute in Great Britain has been reached. There was no decrease in the numbers out of employment—about 700—during the past week. A considerable number of the North Wall workers found employment on the colliers.

NORTHERN MAIL RESTRICTIONS.

Further restrictions of the Belfast mail service for Great Britain and abroad are announced in consequence of the coal situation. With the cessation of the Holyhead-Kingstown night boat no letters from the North will be despatched by that route until further notice. There will be no despatch of letters *via* Stranraer to-day or to-morrow, and during next week the service on this route will be on Monday, Thursday, and Saturday only. Despatches will be made daily *via* Fleetwood, and *via* Glasgow on Tuesday, Thursdays, and Saturdays, the latest hour of posting by both routes being 8.30 p.m.

There will be no sailing from Belfast to Fleetwood or to Heysham this evening.

CIVIL COMMISSIONER'S WARNING.

The Chief Civil Commissioner in Belfast has issued a warning to people in Northern Ireland, impressing upon them the necessity of exercising the strictest economy in the use of coal.

Reports from several areas in the North indicate that stocks were subjected to a heavy drain before the Coal Rationing Order came into operation, and, while in most districts there would appear to be no danger of an acute or immediate shortage, the possibility of a prolongation of the dispute and the continued absence of further supplies from Great Britain make it imperative that every possible means should now be taken to conserve existing supplies.

In many country districts wood and turf are obtainable, and every effort should be made to take advantage of these substitutes, and so help to conserve existing stocks of coal for industries and the people in the larger towns.

FREE STATE SPECIAL POWERS BILL.

FOR PRESERVATION OF PEACE AND SAFETY.

Last night's *Dublin Gazette* contains the following announcement:—

"It is hereby notified that the following resolution was passed by Dail Eireann on the 13th day of May, 1926, and by Seanad Eireann on the 17th day of May, 1926, namely:—

"'That it is hereby declared that the Bill entitled the Protection of the Community (Special Powers) Bill, 1925, which has this day been passed by the House, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace and safety, and that, accordingly, the provisions of Article 47 of the Constitution of Saorstat Eireann shall not apply to that Bill.'"

LOST OVERBOARD.

On the arrival of the Australian Commonwealth liner Moreton Bay at Southampton yesterday it was reported that four days out from Fremantle a passenger named Kennedy, aged 56, a native of the Isle of Skye, disappeared overboard. He had lived in Australia for about twelve months.

HOW FRANC'S VALUE IS RAISED.

AN INGENIOUS CAMPAIGN.

AGREEMENT WITH THE BANK.

PARIS, Friday.

The offensive launched by the Government to force up the value of the franc has successfully begun, the quotation having been lowered by some twenty points in two days. This afternoon the franc touched 140 to the pound sterling, but soon afterwards fell to 150.

The operation is in the hands of the famous banking house of Lazard Brothers, who have been offering dollars and sterling for unlimited amounts. The selling took place chiefly in Paris and New York. It remains to be seen whether the Government means to continue the offensive, or what it will try to stabilise the value of the franc around 150 to the pound sterling, which is not far off the internal value of the franc, as valued by the general level of prices.

Although it is perfectly possible for the Government to take the franc still higher, it is doubtful whether the risks involved would justify such action, inasmuch as it would be extremely costly to attempt to hold the franc for any length of time at such a level.

BRIAND CONFERENCE.

M. Briand conferred this evening with M. Péret, Minister of Finance, and M. Borbineau, Governor of the Bank of France, and several officials of the bank. M. Péret afterwards gave out a statement for publication. He said that the Government and the bank had come to an agreement, and only details now remained to be discussed.

M. Péret attributes the fall in some foreign currencies to the normal consequences of exchange operations, which had taken quite a different aspect, following the Government measures. The tension in the exchanges had, he thought, reached its extreme limit, and was merely artificial and by no means in consonance with their real position. It was interesting to note that the recovery of the franc had taken place without their having to appeal for foreign aid. They resolutely hoped that the improvement would become more marked. He did not think that it would be possible for him to go to London again before the reassembling of Parliament. Moreover, he had seen M. Baraud, who had just returned to Paris, and M. Baraud was satisfied with the progress of the negotiations.—(Reuter.)

MURDERER DIES IN LETHAL GAS CHAMBER.

NEW METHOD OF EXECUTION.

CARSON CITY, NEVADA, Friday.

The lethal gas chamber, the latest method of execution devised by science, claimed its second victim here this afternoon, when Stanke Jukich, who had been convicted of the murder of a sixteen years old girl, was put to death. Elaborate arrangements had been made in advance to make sure that everything would work perfectly. A steam radiator, installed in a concrete chamber, raised the temperature inside to 80 degrees, which ensured the almost instantaneous vaporisation of the deadly hydrocyanic gas pellets, while a specially constructed chair had been provided to accommodate the murderer's huge form. A slight hissing sound, possibly accompanied by a faint odour, was the only warning the condemned man received of his approaching death when the executioner turned the gas valve. Jukich became unconscious within half a minute, and was pronounced dead two-and-a-half minutes later.

Jukich was an illiterate copper miner. For three years he had been awaiting the fulfilment of the girl's promise to marry him, and after she finally refused him he killed her in a drunken frenzy.—(Reuter.)

"BLACK CAMORRA."

GERMAN MURDER TRIAL.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BERLIN, Friday.

The German Public Prosecutor, after careful examination of all the facts, has decided to take proceedings against the Reichstag deputy, Rabe, and the Prussian Diet deputy, Walla, both members of the Fascist Party. They will be charged with offending against the law for the defence of the Republic and suspected of being concerned in the plot to murder the Prussian Minister of the Interior, Herr Severing, and with inciting a man, who is at present serving a term of imprisonment, to murder a spy, which act he carried out on the order of the "Black *Camarra*."

Application for the cancellation of the deputies' Parliamentary immunity is being submitted to the Reichstag and the Prussian Diet.

The murderer of the "spy" referred to, gives evidence before the Prussian Diet's Committee of Inquiry into the Black *Camorra* murders yesterday, declared that the Fascist organisations in Germany are well equipped with weapons, which were hidden after the world war. The Fascist leaders declared, were always talking of removing people obnoxious to them, such as Herr Severing and Herr Stresemann, etc., and the murders of Herr Rathenau and Herr Erzberger were approved by them. Traitors to the cause, he declared, were punished with death.

SOUTH AFRICAN FLAG CRISIS.

GOVERNMENT MAY PROCEED WITH BILL.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
CAPE TOWN, Friday.

The flag crisis continues acute, with continuous meetings and gatherings in the Union. Rumours of a Cabinet break-up alternate with statements of the Government's intention not to proceed with the Bill excluding the Union Jack from the new South African flag. The second reading of the Bill is down for Monday, Empire Day, and this does not tend to assuage the feeling of the English-speaking section, which is exceedingly excited.

At the moment it seems likely that the Government will insist on proceeding with the Bill. I understand that at the Cabinet meeting this morning Colonel Cresswell, Minister of Defence, and Mr. Boydell, Minister of Labour, made most strenuous but unsuccessful efforts to persuade their Nationalist colleagues to a postponement for this session.—(Per Press Association, copyright.)

THE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

VISITORS FROM IRELAND.

NEW YORK (By Mail).

The 28th International Eucharistic Congress opens at Chicago on June 20, and will last until June 24. This is the first time that an International Eucharistic Congress has been held in the United States, and thousands of visitors are expected from all parts of America, Europe, and the Orient.

All the Cardinals of the world have been invited to attend, and it is believed that 30 or 40—the largest number ever to assemble outside of Rome, at least in modern times—will be present. Even the Cardinal Secretary of State is mentioned as the possible Papal Legate.

A large party, headed by Cardinal O'Donnell, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland, and the Most Reverend Dr. Harty, Archbishop of Cashel, and fifty members of the Catholic Truth Society, are sailing from Queenstown on June 4.—(Reuter.)

AFTERMATH OF THE GENERAL STRIKE.

INCREASED UNEMPLOYMENT IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

There was an increase of 4,008 in the number of unemployed registered in Northern Ireland on May 17th, compared with the previous week. The increase was chiefly due to the effect of the recent general strike in Great Britain. The total out of work on May 17th was 60,417, of whom 47,718 were wholly unemployed, 954 unemployed by temporary stoppages, and 3,154 were casual workers.

NEARING THE END?

MOROCCAN TRIBES SUBMITTING.

FRANCO-SPANISH SUCCESS.

ABD-EL-KRIM SAID TO BE A PRISONER.

PARIS, Friday.

A Fez message says:—"It is officially announced that the Franco-Spanish front is now established from Ajdir to Ouergha. The Riffians appear to be more and more disconcerted, and are abandoning many villages. Naval aeroplanes have bombed Targuist, which appeared to be deserted."

A converging movement by native auxiliaries has resulted in sections of the Ulab Said Iklef tribe making their submission, which enabled the occupation, without difficulty, of the whole of the Rokbi massif.—(Reuter.)

ABD-EL-KRIM'S FATE.

MADRID, Friday.

According to private advices from Melilla, it is rumoured that Abd-el-Krim has been taken prisoner by his own supporters.

The following official *communiqué* has been issued by the Officer Commanding the Spanish Naval Forces off the North African coast:—

"The captain of the cruiser Estremadura, which is anchored in the Bay of Nisi Idris, has sent a wireless message stating that Colonel Pozas and a number of officers of his column are on board the cruiser, with the five Chief Caids of the Beni Said, Beni Ulichek, and Tensaman tribes, who applied to come on board in order to make formal submission to the Maghzen, in the presence of the captain of the ship."

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
TANGIER, Friday.

The Jabala Tribes received yesterday telephonic instructions from Abd-el-Krim, who has left, to continue all their efforts against the Spaniards in the Tetuan district. Fresh contingents accordingly are collecting for that purpose.—(Per Press Association Copyright.)

BURNING THE VILLAGES.

ABD-EL-KRIM'S REPLY TO SPAIN.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
REGALA, SPANISH MOROCCO, Friday (Via TANGIER).

Abd-el-Krim's answer to the Spanish refusal of his peace offers is written across the sky all along the horizon here to-night, in smoke from burning villages. Within sight of the Spanish garrison, I saw five Masouar towns still in flames last night. Twelve have been destroyed since Sunday. Refugee women and children belonging to tribes friendly to the Spanish are scattered everywhere throughout the plains and valleys, along the road, from Tangier to Tetuan, which is protected by armoured cars, strong cavalry detachments, and block houses. Herds of cattle, sheep, and goats rescued by the raiders are huddled along the roadside in the care of women and old men. There are almost no young Masouari fighting men among the refugees. Those who were not massacred in the raids have gone over to the Riffian ranks.

Enemy lines yesterday from the official silence in the French zone, where military censors have been killing all unfavourable news from the front, I was amazed to find the road in the Spanish territory still blocked with homeless refugees, fleeing for their lives from the Riffians. At the frontier of the Tangier international zone, it is necessary now to keep a heavy guard to prevent refugees from entering and seeking the protection of the neutral Powers.

The British Red Crescent—the Moslem branch of the Red Cross—is hastily organising relief stations at Tangier, from where supplies of food and tents are now being distributed among the sufferers twice weekly.

I am informed that the Madrid Government has severely criticised the local Spanish authorities for their attitude of indifference toward the refugees, all of whom belong to the Spanish partisan tribes, and are being persecuted by the Riffians for that reason.

Disorder extends across the entire northern slope of the Beni Masouar mountains, from Fondak to Rgaia. Spanish outposts have been pushed back from the hill-tops, and are now only endeavouring to hold the main road.

THE QUEEN VISITS ALDERSHOT.

OPENING OF HOSPITAL EXTENSION.

The Queen paid a visit to Aldershot yesterday afternoon and inspected an extension of the Louise Margaret Hospital, for the accommodation of officers' wives and children. She was received by General Sir Philip Chetwode, Bart., General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, and the officers of his staff, and a guard of honour was provided by the 1st Lincolnshire Regiment.

In a brief statement, Sir Philip said that the extension represented a voluntary effort to provide a service for officers' wives and children, which hitherto had only been obtained in expensive nursing homes. Her Majesty had headed the subscription list with very generous sum.

The Queen then unveiled a stone tablet, let into the wall, with the words: "I name this building the Queen Mary Wing of the Louise Margaret Hospital, and wish it every success."

A tour of inspection of the hospital followed, the Queen taking special interest in the patients in the maternity wards.

Afterwards the Queen paid a visit to the Queen Mary Home for Soldiers' Children, on Middle Hill, and the Royal Pavilion. She honoured Sir Philip and Lady Chetwode with visits to Government House for lunch and tea.

DISARMAMENT AT GENEVA.

THE WAR STRENGTH OF NATIONS.

GENEVA, Friday.

The Drafting Sub-Committee on Disarmament was occupied practically the whole day, and some progress was made. On the question whether it is practical to limit the ultimate war strength of a country, the Sub-Committee agreed that this could not be done, but there must be a peace strength.

It is hoped that the full Committee will assemble on Monday, and conclude its labours.

The Drafting Sub-Committee also agreed regarding instructions which will be supplied to the Military Sub-Committee in this connection, and defined more precisely what are defensive and offensive armaments.

The question of budgetary expenditure in relation to armaments was discussed, and the subject was referred to the Economic Sub-Committee.

GREEK GOVERNMENT EXPLAINS.

THE CANCELLATION OF NAVAL AND MILITARY CONTRACTS.

ATHENS, Friday.

The Greek Government denies that the cancellation of its contracts with the British Naval and French Military Missions was inspired by Italy. It is pointed out that the Government was actuated by motives of economy in taking the step, which was intended to reduce the expenditure on the Navy and Army.—(Reuter.)

IRISH FREE STATE CONSTITUTION.

THE POSITION OF EXTERN MINISTERS.

REPORT TO EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

The self-constituted Committee which, during the last five months, has been reviewing the Free State Constitution "with a view to advising the Government on certain points where amendments might be desirable," has now presented its recommendations to the Executive Council.

The amendments proposed are neither comprehensive in scope nor spectacular in character. In the first place, the Committee has not, as seemed to be anticipated in certain quarters, made any recommendations in connection with either the "Oath question" or the non-attendance of Republican Deputies at the deliberations of the National Assembly.

One of the Committee's findings is, of course, concerned with the mode of electing members to the Senate; but, perhaps, the most important is one which deals with the position of extern Ministers. The recommendation of the Committee in this matter may possibly be considered as tantamount to a vote in favour of the eventful abolition of extern Ministers, as such.

The conclusion of the Committee seems to have been that the system of having a number of extern Ministers responsible only to the Dail, while sound in theory, is not so in practice, since, in fact, the activities of all the Ministries radiate from the Ministry of Finance, and, therefore, the position of Ministers for whose activities the Executive Council has no constitutional responsibility is distinctly anomalous. At present, for instance, one extern Minister—Mr. J. J. Walsh—is openly opposed to the Government on a cardinal point of policy—namely, its fiscal programme. This condition of affairs would be quite impossible if the principle of collective responsibility, as it exists in England, were established in the Free State.

As matters stand, any extern Minister is at perfect liberty to oppose the Government's policy, although every one of them is absolutely dependent on the Ministry of Finance. This position is obviously undesirable, as it would enable, say, the Minister of Agriculture virtually to defy the Government in regard to the policy of his own department.

If the Government accepts the recommendations of the Committee, it probably will be found that the next result will be that, while the principle of collective responsibility will be strengthened, a certain amount of latitude will be allowed to those Ministers who are not members of the Executive Council. There is no desire to impose rigid restrictions, and in all probability it will be found possible to combine uniformity of policy with a certain amount of administrative elasticity.

THE OATH.

With regard to the oath in the Constitution, I am told that never from the beginning was there any tendency whatever to discuss the question of its removal or amendment. As to the suggestion that some action might be taken with a view to disqualifying deputies who have never taken their seats in the Dail, I understand that the question was not discussed, the view being that the non-representation of electors in the Parliament is a problem that may more easily be solved by the electors themselves.

Now that the Cabinet has received the Committee's recommendations, the next step, it is expected, will be that the Oireachtas will be invited to appoint a Joint Committee to consider such of the recommendations as may be placed before it by the Executive Council. Should the Joint Committee find the proposals so put before it acceptable, they will be put in legislative form, the result being a substantially agreed measure that would be assured of an early passage into law.

The Constitution Committee consisted of the Speaker, Mr. Michael Hayes, who acted as Chairman; Mr. O'Higgins, Minister for Justice; Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance; Mr. Walsh, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs; the Attorney-General, Professor Binchy, of the National University, and Senator Douglas.

THE TARIFF COMMISSION.

A bill to constitute the Free State Tariff Commission, mentioned by Mr. Blythe in his Budget speech, will be introduced in the Dail within the next few weeks. It is stated that the Minister has decided to recommend that the Commission be composed of the following:—Mr. J. J. McElligott, Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Finance; Mr. J. H. Hinchcliff, Chief Inspector of the Ministry of Agriculture, and Mr. R. C. Ferguson, Director of the Industries branch of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce.

Pending the passage of the bill no appointment can be gazetted.

SYNOD NOTES.

(FROM OUR CHURCH OF IRELAND CORRESPONDENT.)

The business of the closing day of the General Synod was transacted in a very small House, as will be seen from the figures given below; but those who were present showed a praiseworthy anxiety to get the business which remained carried through as rapidly as possible. Nevertheless, the desire for debate and questioning evinced by several members was no less than on other days.

Canon Kingsmill Moore, in speaking on the report of the Standing Committee, drew attention to the difficulty of providing Church teachers for schools under Church management. He mentioned several instances in which it had been found necessary to appoint Roman Catholic teachers, and appealed to the authorities in the several dioceses to do everything possible to encourage suitable children to adopt the career of teachers.

Canon J. B. Leslie asked for help from members of the legal profession and from owners of private libraries in examining old deeds, etc., that may be in their possession, for the purpose of making good losses incurred by the destruction of the Record Office. The Dean of Derry also appealed for gifts or offers of sale to the committee who are making a collection of the various editions of the Irish Church Prayer Book. Editions prior to 1750 will be welcomed, and doubtless parish "lumber rooms" will be ransacked for such editions.

A long discussion took place regarding the advisability of retaining the unrevised Psalter in the new Prayer Book pending the decision of the Church of England as to the final form which the Psalter in the new English revision will take. It was decided eventually to retain the present revised Psalter for the time being.

As a protest against the position assigned to the Report of the Board of Education on the agenda, Mr. Nash drew attention to the state of the House, with the result that the House adjourned for half an hour. On resumption, when it was explained that the inferior position occupied by the item on the paper was due to the amount of legislation which had to be got through, the objection was withdrawn, and the House proceeded to the consideration of the report. The Bishop of Limerick made a considerable impression by his serious complaint against the injustice of compelling the study of Irish. He paid, however, a handsome tribute to the courtesy and sympathy shown by the educational authorities towards any suggestions made by representatives of the Church of Ireland at the Conference on Primary Education which was recently held.

The reading of the minutes, followed by the singing of the Doxology and the pronouncing of the Benediction, brought the second session of the nineteenth General Synod to a close. The attendance was as follows:—

	Clerical.	Lay.	Total.	Total 1925.
Tuesday	185	169	354	395
Wednesday	186	168	354	382
Thursday	188	137	325	319
Friday	134	71	205	227

ARRESTED AT LANDING STAGE.

A young man was arrested at the Liverpool Landing Stage yesterday when about to embark on the Canadian liner Montcalm, on a charge of stealing £200 about six weeks ago. A clerk in the employment of the Paragon Saw Mills, Manchester, was carrying a bag containing £200 when he was knocked down, unconscious, and the bag was stolen.

COTTON TRADE OUTLOOK.

MR. LEE'S CONFIDENCE IN REVIVAL.

Mr. Herbert W. Lee, presiding yesterday at the annual meeting of the Manchester shareholders of the Fine Cotton Spinners' and Doublers' Association, Ltd., said that the expectations of the recent dispute hanging over so long, and the uncertainty of its issue, had been factors retarding trade. If the menace of the labour difficulty was now ended, and traders could look forward to a peaceful settlement of future disputes, a revival of confidence should quickly make up for the expense and dislocation suffered.

Conditions were slowly tending in the right direction. The political atmosphere was more settled, and exchanges on the balance were more stable. If they could hope for a gradual lightening of the taxation burden and costs from sheltered industries and freedom from labour unrest, they should begin to feel that the essentials of permanent good trade were on the way.

They were greatly handicapped in competing with other countries. The forty-eight hours working week in the textile trade which, after deductions for cleaning, was not much over forty-six and a half, compared unfavourably with conditions in other countries, which were running usually a full fifty, and, in some cases, sixty hours.

He did not believe in low wages and long hours, and he considered that their action should be to induce other countries to reduce their hours, rather than to work for an increase here. He hoped that they would not be tied down to any particular hours, unless their competitors observed the same conditions.

LATE NEWS

THE COAL DISPUTE.

BLIND LEADERS.

In a leading article *The Times* observes:—The Whitsuntide holiday is overclouded by the failure of the colliery owners and the miners alike to respond to the Prime Minister's endeavour to establish peace in the industry on just and enduring lines. Antagonisms are uppermost, the common underlying interests which bind together—to sink or to swim—all whose livelihood is drawn from the mining industry are forgotten. There is a singular lack on both sides of the qualities which make for the successful negotiation of those problems which arise in the relations of employers and employed, not in coal-mining alone, but in every kind of business, from time to time. The mine-owners and the miners are unfortunate in that those who represent them on the negotiating bodies seem almost destitute of the gifts that promote understanding and smooth away difficulties, and bring about co-operation in joint enterprises. The Mining Association has failed to attract to its membership or to its counsels some of the outstanding leaders of the industry—men eminent for ability, enterprise and foresight. Its policy on critical occasions falls far short of reflecting the best and the most progressive spirit in its ranks—a spirit that seems to be almost permanent subjection. The miners contribute their full share to the difficulties by maintaining an unhelpful stubbornness of demeanour that is a more negation, so far as the immediate and practical problems are concerned.

The coal industry will not suffer alone for the failure

CHURCH OF IRELAND SYNOD.

LOST ECCLESIASTICAL RECORDS.

BISHOP AND COMPULSORY IRISH.

The General Synod of the Church of Ireland concluded its sittings at the Synod Hall, Christ Church place, Dublin, yesterday.

During the discussion of the report of the Board of Education the Bishop of Limerick referred to the compulsory teaching of Irish in the schools, and said that, while he and others had no enmity to the Irish language or Gaelic culture, they regretted that the policy of compulsion had been forced on the country without consulting the parents or the teachers.

As a patriotic Irishman, said the Bishop, it is a matter of deep grief to me that the children now growing up promise to be among the most uneducated in Europe.

The Primate presided.

DESTROYED RECORDS.

LOST IN FOUR COURTS FIRE.

The Dean of Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, moved the adoption of the report of the Standing Committee of the General Synod, which, *inter alia*, referred to the destruction of Ecclesiastical Records in the Four Courts. The Standing Committee, with the assistance of the Rev. St. John D. Seymour, Litt.D.; the Rev. H. B. Swanzy, the Rev. Canon C. A. Webster, and the Rev. Canon J. B. Leslie, were taking steps to preserve and publish Ecclesiastical Records. The loss incurred by the destruction of the Record Office could only be remedied by gifts, and in some cases by the purchase of books and documents. Those who were able and willing to supply material were requested to communicate with Canon Leslie, Kilsaran Rectory, Castlebellingham.

Having referred to the revision of the Prayer Book, which entailed increased printing costs, the Dean of Christ Church said that the Standing Committee of the General Synod provisionally authorised and requested the following (pending confirmation of the General Synod) to act as representatives of the Church of Ireland at the World Conference on Faith and Order, to be held at Lausanne, Switzerland, in 1927:—

Clerical—The Primate, the Archbishop of Dublin, the Provost of Trinity College and the Dean of Christ Church.

Lay—Mr. W. A. Ferrar; and that, in case any of the foregoing should be unable to attend, the following be appointed as alternatives:—The Bishop of Limerick, the Bishop of Down, and Mr. J. Bristow.

Major Wellesley seconded.

Canon Kingsmill Moore impressed on the house the necessity of the various dioceses sending candidates for training to the Church of Ireland Training College.

Canon Leslie drew attention to the omission of the name of the Dean of Down from the list of those who had assisted in the collection of Ecclesiastical Records.

On the motion of the Dean of St. Patrick's, the name of the Dean of Down was ordered to be inserted.

The report was then adopted.

On the motion of Canon Newport J. D. White, the report of the Prayer Book Committee was received and adopted

THE IRISH PRAYER BOOK.

Canon Wilson proposed, and the Rev. E. Naville seconded, that editions of the Irish Prayer Book, as revised, be printed, containing the vivâ text of the Psalter of the Book of Common Prayer.

Mr. H. Maxwell, K.C., said that three years ago the Synod, by resolution, decided to have a revised Psalter. That was followed by a Bill, and it was printed by the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, and was now the law of the Church; yet Canon Wilson's proposal was to print into the new book an old edition which had been superseded by the law of the Church. He submitted that the result would be confusion, expense and delay. He thought that they ought to close the revision now.

The Archdeacon of Armagh suggested as an amendment that the word "may" be inserted in the resolution before the words "be printed."

Canon Wilson said that he would accept that suggestion.

The Archbishop of Dublin said that if they passed this resolution they would be authorising somebody to print an unauthorised book. They had no right to send out to the world Prayer Books which were not statutory.

The resolution as amended was then put and defeated.

Mr. T. Henry Maxwell, K.C., proposed that the permission to use the unrevised Psalter be revoked so soon as the revised Prayer Book is printed. He said that they wanted only one Prayer Book and one Psalter in every Church.

The resolution was defeated.

THE CHURCH AND HOUSING.

The Rev. D. H. Hall, Rector of St. Barnabas's Parish Church, Dublin, was greeted with general applause when he rose to propose: "That the Representative Church Body be given leave to invest in the Loan Stock of the Linenhall Public Utility Society, if they see fit." He said that St. Paul's Parish had accepted the responsibility of developing some work there, and they formed the Linenhall Public Utility Society. He only asked the Synod to give the Representative Church Body permission to invest in the Loan Stock of this Society. ("Agreed.").

Mr. William Ireland, in seconding, said that he hoped that the Representative Church Body would not only look on this as a special privilege, but would carry out the objects therein. Hitherto they did not carry out the wishes of some of them, because they had not any definite scheme. This they had now. It was an object of the highest importance, and he hoped that the Synod would adopt the resolution.

Mr. Twynem (Portadown), while approving of the principle, said that he objected to the resolution, as localising the matter. He had suggested on the previous day that the Representative Church Body be authorised to invest moneys in house-building schemes, and he wished to have the principle applied to every parish in Ireland. Mr. Hall and himself appeared to be the only members of the Synod who took a practical interest in house-building schemes. (Cries of "No, no.")

The resolution was adopted.

RETIRED CLERGYMEN'S TITLES.

The Earl of Belmore proposed that it was desirable that deans, archdeacons, and other Church dignitaries, on retirement from active service in the Church, and on completion of a sufficient period in the tenure of such positions, should retain the title (but not its local designation) of the position last held by them, and that the Standing Committee take the matter into consideration.

Mr. A. D. Price seconded.

Mr. Justice FitzGibbon said that he hoped that the Synod would not adopt the motion. If they passed such a motion their Diocesan Courts would be flooded with complaints against people, because they had refused to give a dean, an archdeacon or other dignity his title. (Laughter.)

The motion was withdrawn.

BILLS READ A THIRD TIME.

The following bills received their third reading:—Bill No. I., to carry into effect certain resolutions of the General Synod touching the Book of Common Prayer; Bill No. II., to carry into effect a resolution of the Synod touching the Psalms and Canticles in the Prayer Book; Bill No. III., touching the order of the offices in the Prayer Book; Bill No. IV., which corrected inaccuracies and contradictions in the final and complete edition of the Book of Common Prayer; Bill No. V., which is to eliminate infelicities of diction in the complete edition of the Prayer Book; Bill No. VI., to amend the regulations for summoning registered vestrymen in the case of prospective unions of parishes; Bill No. VII., to limit the rights of the next appointed Bishop of Down and Connor and Dromore in respect of jurisdiction and emoluments, in the event of the division of the diocese subsequent to his appointment.

Other bills which received a third reading were for the purpose of amending certain portions of Chapters VII. and XV. of the Constitution, and uniting the Dioceses of Elphin and Ardagh.

THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The Board of Missions, in the report to the General Synod, expressed thankfulness to Almighty God for the great Convention held in Westminster in January, 1925. The Convention was called by the Missionary Council of the National Assembly of the Church of England. It was attended by about 3,000 delegates from every diocese in England and Wales, also from Ireland, Scotland and Australia. The delegates had before them four reports: The call from Africa; the call from India; the call from the Moslem world, and the call from the Far East. The assistant secretary of the Missionary Council summed up the requirements of the various reports as follows:—For the Far East, 85 men and 71 women; for Africa, 120 men and 80 women; for India, 71 (mostly men); altogether, roughly, £30, for equipping and maintaining existing work, and 123 others for new undertakings within the next few years, with the certainty that the call from the Moslem world would by that time become more urgent; and, in addition to all these, 180 new offers from henceforth annually, to keep up to the level of a refreshened missionary staff.

As regards contributions from all the dioceses, there was an increase shown in ten dioceses of £5,617, and eleven had decreased by £1,221, leaving a net increase of £2,396. The accounts from the scattered dioceses in the West were an inspiration.

For the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts £5,775 was collected in Ireland—from all sources—during the year. The income of the Society generally, from all sources, amounted to £342,501. It was pointed out that at least £30,000 more must be added in 1926 if the work was to be maintained.

Compared with the average of the five years ended 1914, the income of the Hibernian Church Missionary Society for the year just closed was at least £5,500 higher, and, what was more encouraging to note, compared with last year, the ordinary receipts (excluding legacies) were about £812 higher.

As regards the Colonial and Continental Church Society's Irish Auxiliary, it was pointed out that the outstanding event of the past year's work in the overseas fields of the Society had been the completion of the new teachers' hostel at Saskatoon.

In connection with the Church of Ireland Auxiliary to the London Society for Promoting Christianity amongst the Jews, it was stated that reports from various fields in which the Society worked made it clear that Jewry all over the world is in a state of transition.

The receipts of the Hibernian Auxiliary of the Church of England Zenana Missionary Society for the year were £6,412, the largest amount received since 1919. The increase over last year's total was over £800. The total number of missionaries from Ireland connected with the Society was twenty-nine.

The outstanding event in the history of the South American Missionary Society had been the expedition into Bolivia under the leadership of Mr. C. H. Grubb, a member of a well-known Tipperary family.

For the fourth year in succession the general funds of the Mission to Lepers were in excess of those of the previous year. They received £6,880, and £710 from legacies.

Last year £3,679 were sent to the British and Foreign Bible Society from the Hibernian Bible Society.

THE WORLD-CALL.

Moving the adoption of the report, the Bishop of Tuam said that it was one of the most important matters that had come before the Synod. The point in the report which he would like to impress on the Synod was the world-call to the Church. It was in their minds very much at present as the result of the movement across the water. This was a spontaneous matter; but they ought to take their part and their share in the great work. If they really wanted to grasp the importance of this world-call, he thought that the best way was to look at the Apostles' Creed as a great missionary formula. God is the God of the whole world. Jesus Christ is the Saviour of the world; there was no monopoly of Him; and the Holy Ghost is the giver of life to the world. He asked them to do what they could to try to prepare their people, so that they may make a great forward movement in the world's call to spread the kingdom of Christ throughout the world.

Colonel Montgomery, D.L., seconded the resolution, and said that the reports of missionary work were very interesting, and gave wonderful accounts of the work that was being done. He suggested that teachers in the schools, by lectures, might assist missionary work.

The Bishop of Cork said that the call of the world to the Church was of stupendous importance, and they ought to keep that call before the members of their Church as prominently as possible. It was being proposed that on or about St. Andrew's Day there should be a great conference in connection with the world-call in the City of Dublin, to take a special Service in St. Patrick's Cathedral, at which it was hoped the Bishop of Salisbury would preach. He thought that it would be possible for Boards of Missions throughout the country to try and organise meetings and conferences in the various parishes and in the larger towns, and co-operate with the conference in Dublin; and that representatives might attend the Conference, and also the Service at St. Patrick's Cathedral. No greater call had come to the Church in recent times. Six hundred missionaries and £250,000 were asked. Every member of the Church should take the call really to heart and do everything possible to carry it out.

Mr. Burkitt appealed to the clergy to provide facilities for co-operative work amongst the laity.

The resolution was adopted.

A LEAD REQUIRED.

Canon John Connell, moving that the Board of Missions be asked to make suggestions to the next Synod how the members of the Church of Ireland could be aroused to take a greater interest in foreign missions, and that, if the suggestions be approved by the Synod, the Board be empowered to carry them out, said that the clergy were told by their bishops, and the people were told by their clergy, that their most important work was missionary work. It was, therefore, a very sad thing that that Synod should have to accept such a very unsatisfactory report. In one page it was stated that there was a net increase in contributions of £2,395 up to the 31st March, 1925, while in another page it was reported that the total subscriptions had fallen from £80,000 to £75,000. There was no suggestion made in the report why this had happened. One of the reasons, he thought, for this state of affairs was that the Board of Missions was not giving a lead to the Church of Ireland. He did not think that the Board of Missions had been taken seriously, nor that the Board had taken themselves seriously. There were forty-nine experts on the Board, any one of whom, he felt sure, would be able to give them a valuable suggestion; but when they met together they seemed unable to give a single suggestion. They should require the Board to give them a lead in connection with the work. (Hear, hear.)

The Bishop of Ossory said that the explanation of the decrease would probably be found in the bequests, because the dioceses had contributed £2,396 more than last year. (Hear, hear.) He did not say that the Church was doing what it ought to do for this work, but it was doing more than it had done in the past. This was a great opportunity for the Church for lifting mission work to a higher level, and to look upon this work as the first great job of the Church. (Hear, hear.)

The Dean of Christ Church said that in 1913 the Board had made elaborate suggestions, and he did not know how they were to improve on these, and if Canon Connell could add any suggestions he was sure that the Board would be glad to adopt them.

AN AMENDMENT.

Canon Wilson moved as an amendment that the Board be asked to investigate and report upon the scheme of supporting foreign missions, which was now being prepared for the Church in Wales by the National Assembly of Missions. This was a very great scheme, and, unless such a scheme was adopted in the Church of Ireland they would not get very much forward. The Church of Wales would have its own dioceses in the mission fields of China, India and Africa.

The Dean of St. Patrick's said that he had been elected a member of the Board a year ago, and had been summoned to only one meeting.

Colonel Montgomery seconded the amendment, and said that he believed that such a scheme would enable them to make a forward movement in this most important work.

The Bishop of Limerick said that if they adopted the amendment, it would, he believed, be the first small step in dissociating themselves from the great mission societies—the S.P.G. and the C.M.S., with which the Church of Ireland had been associated from their inception. He strongly deprecated taking this step to separate themselves from these Societies.

Canon Lockett Ford also objected to the amendment. The Irish Church had two missions—one in China and the other in India—and at the present moment they were shouting—in fact, screaming—for additional help. In face of that, what was the use of asking the Synod to consider a report on the Welsh scheme?

The amendment was put and declared lost, and Canon Connell's motion was adopted.

WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.

The report of the Board of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund for the year to 31st December, 1925, showed that during the year the Board investigated 27 cases, with the result that 26 clergymen were registered under the statute as contributors, and one voluntary applicant declined the terms offered. The number of contributors to the fund at the close of 1925 was 1,237, and the amount £8,369 19s. 6d., as compared with 1,249 contributors and £8,402 18s. 3d. for the year 1924.

Mr. J. A. Maconchy, in moving the adoption of the report, said that he did not understand why all curates did not join at once on double benefits. The subscriptions were extraordinarily small. The number of widows and orphans who got annuities this year was 221, and last year the number was 202.

Canon Lockett Ford, who seconded, said that the amount given to widows was inadequate.

The report was approved.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Board of Education, in their report, stated that the importance of the opportunity offered by the Programme Conference for amending the programme which had been in use for the last three years in National schools, was fully recognised by the Board. Communications were addressed to the Bishops and the Diocesan Boards of Education drawing their attention to the invitation of the Conference for evidence and pointing out that the direction which the changes to be made in the programme would take would be largely influenced by the answers made to the questions which the Conference had issued.

The Board appointed a sub-committee to consider the special questions issued by the Conference, and this committee presented a report, which was considered in detail and forwarded to the Conference as the reasoned result of their deliberations. The report of the Conference just published marked a decided improvement on the previous programme. While the Board much regretted the recommendation dealing with the retention of compulsory Irish, they noted with approval that the attempt to teach other subjects through Irish is to be limited in cases where not only the teachers, but also the pupils, were proficient in Irish, and among other favourable features they called attention to the definite recognition of the teaching of English in infant schools.

The Board regretted that, owing to the large amount of time still devoted to Irish, certain desirable subjects have been excluded or given insufficient time, but, apart from this grave objection, the recommendations of the Conference appeared to be practical and promising. The proposed day school calendar was the agreed course of Bible instruction in use in public elementary day schools in Northern Ireland, supplemented by the additional programme for Church of Ireland pupils as authorised by the Dioceses of Armagh and Down and Connor and Dromore.

At this stage Mr. Nash called attention to the state of the House, and it was decided to adjourn for half an hour

On resuming, Mr. Nash again called attention to the House, and Mr. Maconchy and other explained that the report was placed where it was on the agenda in accordance with the Standing Orders, largely owing to the number of new bills which were introduced and debated. Next year the report would probably appear on the agenda for the first day.

The Archbishop of Dublin said that he and others resented, along with Mr. Nash, the position which the report on Education occupied on the Orders of the Day. It dealt with a matter which was of vital importance to the whole Church, and he hoped that Mr. Nash, having made his protest, and having heard the explanation offered, would now withdraw his objection.

Mr. Nash requested, and obtained, the leave of the House to withdraw his objection.

THE NEW CALENDAR.

The Bishop of Limerick, moving the adoption of the report, said that they were now making a real effort to bring together the whole of the Church of Ireland as regards the Sunday and the day schools. It had so turned out that many of the dioceses objected to the Calendar before them. It had been drawn up with the criticism in view, and the hope of the Board was that it would be given a year's fair trial, and then, if it was thought advisable, it could be amended. It was a very important thing for them to have but one Calendar—it was never more important than now—because it would make them feel that they were united with the North, South and West.

He was very glad to see that a list of books had been suggested for the teaching of sacred matters. The Calendar gave them a very good day school programme, and in that, too, the note of unity came in, because the day school calendar was chiefly the same as that drawn up in Northern Ireland. It was, he thought, a good thing that there was that kind of union between the North and the South. (Hear, hear.)

Dealing with the conference on the educational programme in the national schools, his Lordship said that the Synod, and the whole Church of Ireland, was under a very deep debt of gratitude to Canon Kingsmill Moore for his presence at that conference, and for doing a great deal to help their case, not in the face of opposition or enmity, but in the face of ignorance.

CHARACTER OF THE PROGRAMME.

When the Irish Free State started the conference to consider the programme, all the leading men in the Church were asked for criticism; and it was only fair to say, as far as his experience went, that the Free State Ministers of Education were treating the Church of Ireland quite fairly. (Hear, hear.) They made their suggestions. The first thing that struck them was that the programme was extraordinarily narrow. He did not say that now, because, he understood, it had been much improved. It was very hard for him to read through the programme carefully and grip the kind of mentality of those who had drawn it up. Fancy putting before children the duty of making themselves acquainted with the deeds of great Irishmen! What did they think of a programme which did not introduce Usher, Berkeley, Burke or Goldsmith? Many people though that Edmund Burke was the greatest statesman ever produced, while George Berkeley was a name foremost on the great roll of philosophers. Neither of these men's names was to be mentioned to their children. He understood, however, that that most ungenerous policy had been reversed.

In a country where one of the prevailing faults seemed to be the lack of moral courage he thought that the most patriotic thing any one could do was to let the people know publicly what they felt.

COMPULSORY IRISH.

"We have," continued his lordship, "no enmity to the Irish language or to Gaelic culture. In the past who had done most in preserving the best part of Irish literature? Was it not men of our up-bringing? (Hear, hear.) There is no question of deprecating the study of the old language. We regret that this particular policy was forced on the country without consulting the parents or the teachers. I do not think that any one of us, who has practical knowledge of Ireland, will question that the majority of its people regret this policy. We regret compulsion. We have no wish to discourage the teaching of Irish, but we have every wish to discourage the compulsion placed upon our people. Those of us in the country see how the whole progress of children has been put back by this compulsion. Teachers have been taken away from their work, for many weeks in summer, in the vain search of trying to get a knowledge of this difficult language, while the children were running around the streets. As a patriotic Irishman it is a matter of deep grief to me that the children now growing up promise to be amongst the most uneducated people in Europe." (Hear, hear.)

Concluding, the Bishop said that one of the arguments constantly used in favour of this policy was that the cultivation of this particular language was necessary for a national spirit. That was not so. Look at Europe. There were no people more patriotic than the Austrians and Germans, and yet there were nations among the Germans all speaking one tongue. Look at the United States of America. That was really the test. There were no people in the world so patriotic as the Americans. Were they drawn closer to us politically because they used the English language? Not at all. They remained Americans. They were still nearer to Scotland, and if ever people loved their country it was these people. They did not put compulsory Gaelic upon their school programme; "and if," concluded the Bishop, "we were as patriotic and as self-sacrificing for our country as they are we would do extremely well." (Applause.)

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

The Rev. A. E. Hughes, in seconding, referred to the necessity for a new Sunday School programme. If there was one thing that made for unity, surely it was education; and if they could get it in the matter of secular education, surely the Church of Ireland should apply that basis of unity, by having one programme for the whole Church. They wanted to have a programme to supply the basis on which every diocese might build its programme.

He referred to the day school programme, and said that it was desirable to have a uniform programme for their schools, so that there might be continuity in education where children were changed from one part of the country to another. They were told by the representatives of the North that they would have nothing to do with any programme but their own, because they had a tremendous job in coming to an agreement with the Methodists and Presbyterians. If, therefore, they in the Free State wanted to be in tune with the North they must either take that programme or leave it, and they proposed to take it for one year at least, and if it did not turn out to the satisfaction of the Church the obvious course was open to them.

Canon Kingsmill Moore said that he would not discuss the question of Irish, which had been so fully dealt with by the Bishop of Limerick. As regards the Sunday School calender, he pointed out that the Sunday school only met once a week—say for an hour—while in the day school religious instruction was given for half an hour a day—or two and a half hours a week.

Dr. McVittie said that education should not be confined to calendars, programmes, or curriculum, but on the broad question of the education and elevation of the people. Baths and gymnasiums should be in schools, as they were in Scandinavia and other countries. The education of the individual was no education at all unless it raised the individual physically, mentally and morally.

The resolution was passed.

THE ATTENDANCES.

It was announced that the following were the attendances during the week:—

Tuesday	Clergy, 185.	Laity, 160.
Wednesday	Clergy, 186.	Laity, 163.
Thursday	Clergy, 186.	Laity, 137.
Friday	Clergy, 134.	Laity, 71.

On the motion of Canon Lockett Ford, seconded by Lord Belmore, a vote of thanks was passed to Canon Connell and to Mrs. Connell and the other ladies who assisted in making the catering arrangements in connection with the Synod.

The Doxology having been sung, the Primate pronounced the Benediction, and the Synod concluded.

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN.

During 1925 Pupils of this College gained 64 Bank Clerkships—including 19 Bank of Ireland and 13 National Bank appointments. —(Advt.)

FREE STATE REGISTRAR-GENERAL

SIR W. J. THOMPSON RETIRES.

Having reached the age limit, Sir William J. Thompson, who resides at 59 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, has retired from the position of Registrar-General of the Free State.

In 1909 Sir William Thompson was appointed Registrar-General, in succession to the late Sir Robert Matheson, and during his seventeen years of office he has directed the preparation of statistics of vital importance to the country, including the census of 1911 and the census of 1926, which has not yet reached its final stages. Most people are aware that, through his efforts, and with the assistance of Mr. Hooper, of the Department of Industry and Commerce, this year's census has been conducted on the most comprehensive lines, and is expected to yield valuable information concerning a wide range of subjects.

SIR W. J. THOMPSON, Registrar-General, who is retiring.

In 1911 Sir William Thompson was appointed Chairman of the Census Commission, and in this capacity his expert knowledge and advice proved of inestimable value. He also initiated the National Registration Act of 1910 and the Registration of Business Names Act. He is an ex-President of the Statistical Society of Ireland, and is the author of numerous papers relating to statistics and public health. He was knighted in 1907.

Sir William is a distinguished member of the medical profession. He is President of the Royal College of Physicians and a Fellow of the Royal Academy of Medicine, and was Physician-in-Ordinary to the Marquis of Aberdeen when the latter was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. He was also a member of the Medical Consultative Board of the Royal Navy, and an Examiner in Medicine to the Royal Medical Service. At the present time he holds several important medical appointments. Golf is his favourite recreation, and he is President of the Dublin Golfing Society.

STAFF'S APPRECIATION.

A deputation of the senior officials employed at Charlemont House waited on Sir William on Thursday, and conveyed to him their appreciation of the cordial relations which existed between him and the staff during his term of office.

THE REGISTRAR-GENERALSHIP.

I learn on good authority, writes our Political Correspondent, that it is not the intention to appoint a successor to Sir William Thompson. The present proposal is that the executive power vested in him and his predecessors should be transferred to the Secretary of the Local Government Ministry, by whom it would be exercised for the future.

The Assistant Registrar-General, Mr. Morrissey, formerly one of the Commissioners of Intermediate Education, Mr. Morrissey was appointed to the position in succession to Mr. Daniel Doyle, who died quite recently.

SPANISH DRAMA.

DR. STARKIE'S LECTURE.

Lecturing on "Ramon de la Cruz and Spanish Drama in the Eighteenth Century," at Trinity College, Dublin, yesterday, Dr. Walter Starkie traced the history of Spain during that period, and showed the influx of foreign ideas and cultures. Literature, he said, followed the lead of France and Italy, and adopted rigid classical laws. Tragedies were written only to teach princes; comedies to point a moral for the people. Ramon de la Cruz should be compared with Goldoni, in Italy, in that he advocated realism in drama, and was a precursor of the modern comedy. "Ramon de la Cruz," said the lecturer, "is the Goya of drama," and by a curious coincidence both painter and dramatist lived in the same period, and so Dr. Starkie was able to illustrate many of the scenes from Ramon de la Cruz's short plays by slides of sketches and etchings by Goya. He also showed interesting lantern slides of old prints, explaining the evolution of the theatre and the stage of the period. Ramon de la Cruz would always be remembered for his vivid portrayal of Spanish life, and his works deserved to be better known than they were to-day.

ISLAM AND DANTE.

SOURCE OF THE POET'S INSPIRATION.

REMARKABLE WORK BY SPANISH PRIEST.

MADRID (By Mail).

A considerable stir in literary circles was created in 1919 by the appearance of a book bearing the imposing title of "La Escatalogia Musulmana en la Divina Comedia." The edition was quickly exhausted and the original has not been re-printed, but a translation in English has now appeared.

The author, Don Miguel Asin, propounded a thesis entirely new to students of Dante, according to which the famous epic, instead of being attributable solely to the creative genius of the poet and a synthesis of purely Christian belief of the Thomist School, was inspired chiefly by Moorish legendary narratives once current throughout Islam and well-known in Spain as far back as the ninth century.

That such a thesis should meet with determined opposition from many devotees of Dante, loth to allow that this genius could owe anything to outside influence, is not surprising, nor that many orthodox thinkers could, except with difficulty, be brought to admit the possibility of an essentially Christian work being largely inspired by Moslem traditions. Yet this is what is claimed by the author, a high authority on Moorish literature, who, as being a Roman Catholic priest to boot, can hardly be suspect among those having a theological bias. A professor of Arabic at the University of Madrid, Miguel Asin, has devoted twenty-five years of his life to the study of Moorish literature and lore, for which the archives and records available in Spain furnish a very large field.

THE AUTHOR'S CASE.

The author, who supports his case with chapter and verse, contends that Dante drew his conception of his Divine Comedy, both in regard to the fundamental idea of the allegory and many minor details, from an old Mussulman legend describing the nocturnal journey of Mohammet to Isra—(the Inferno)— and his ascension to the Mirich—(Paradise). Of this legend there are numerous versions, the one of Mohidin Abenarabi (1164-1240), a Mohammedan mystic born in Murcia (Spain), showing the greatest similarity with Dante's epic.

The author is convinced that the Italian took this latter version as a pattern, particularly for his topographical conceptions of the lower regions pictured in his allegory, as well as in a large degree for many episodic details.

The general outlines of the Dantesque and Mussulman allegories coincide closely. As protagonists in each narrative, Dante and Mohammet awaken from a deep slumber, and in both cases set off on a journey at the commencement of which they enter the gate leading to the Inferno, guarded by wild beasts. The methodical comparison established by the author convinced him that the prototypes of Dante's conceptions were invariably to be found in Moslem tradition, a fact which made him investigate the possibility of both being derived from some common source, perhaps traceable to mediæval Christian legends preceding the poet's great work. His further investigations, to use his own words, however, "let in a flood of light upon the whole problem," and the Moslem elements united to appear as the key to much of what had long remained obscure in the Divine Comedy.

THE TWO SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT.

A reference to the book itself, which takes the reader step by step through a comparative study of the Christian and Moslem versions, will show how very little the two schools of thought differ from one another. In the scenery, the torments, both in their nature and the correlativity of the punishments with the sins committed; the cycles in which the journeys take place, and in many other aspects, the evidence in favour of the argument is of the strongest, if not entirely conclusive. In both accounts the traveller has to pass through astronomical heavens, and are enlightened on religious problems, the prophets in one being saints in another. Such passages as Mahomet's meeting with the Keeper of Hell and the refusal by the boatman Caronte, and by Minos to take Dante across to the other shore, are closely paralleled, while out of scores of incidents which bear similar comparison. The author dissects and analyses and establishes his case so well that it would require a very sceptical and biassed mind to put the similarity down to mere coincidence, unless, perhaps, one shows to postulate the possibility of two geniuses having contacted visionary realms with identical results.

The Duke of Alba, who deserves well of the literary world for his many generous activities, is responsible for the publication of the book. "Islam and the Divine Comedy," an abridged translation of the original. He has been fortunate in obtaining the services of Mr. Harold Sunderland for the task of translation, which has been carried out intelligently and with great pains, the book becoming possibly of greater interest in the present form than in the original, in which it was excessively academic.—(Reuter.)

HIBERNIAN CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR EFFORT.

The Primate, presiding at a public meeting in connection with the Hibernian Church Missionary Society, held in the Metropolitan Hall, Dublin, last night, said that whoever approached the great missionary enterprise of the Church at present must take account of the great conference which was held in London in the early part of this year. So remarkable an event in the history of the Church of England in relation to missionary work must be of unbounded interest and importance to everyone in the great world-wide Anglican Church. When they looked into those four volumes issued by that great conference in London they gained an idea, first of all, of the tremendous opportunity of the present time—an opportunity larger, more incalculable, more wide in its outlook than ever had been presented to the Christian world, in all parts of the world. Secondly, he thought that they learned from these volumes the smallness of our own efforts; how little our existing organisations with their reserves of men, money, and, perhaps, also, their spiritual power, were adequate, in the face of so tremendous an opening. There was something humiliating in that lesson.

Thirdly, they learned the vast amount of detail, which was a surpassing proof to them all that they faced an actual problem presented by the mission field. To-day, owing to this conference, they got a new vision of what God had for His Church to accomplish, and they must believe that in Christ, their Master, there was a power which would enable Christian people, true to their cause, to fulfil that glorious destiny of the Church to which the Master called.

The Archdeacon of Macclesfield spoke of the immense missionary opportunity that there was at present in the Far East. Civil war in China had an important meaning for them, and had to be carefully watched. If there was going to be another war, it would not be between white and white, but between white and yellow—a war for elbow room. The colour question was the question of to-morrow. The call to the Church from the East came with insistence, and was a challenge to their Christianity.

Archdeacon A. B. Lloyd, of Uganda, dealt with the work of the Church in Uganda, and Miss Joynt with the work in China.

EMPIRE DAY MEDAL FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Under the auspices of the British Empire Union, it is proposed to distribute to school children on Empire Day a medal. It bears the portrait of the Prince of Wales, and the reverse is symbolical, typifying the Bridge of Empire, which is built up around the figure of Peace and Prosperity. The lamps are those of Justice and Freedom, which it is the duty of every citizen to keep always burning, and the ship is that of the pioneers who have made Britain the Empire over which the sun never sets. There are the words: "For God, King and Empire."

PRO-CATHEDRAL, DUBLIN.

At the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, Dublin, to-morrow there will be solemn High Mass at 12 o'clock. The Archbishop, the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, will preside, and will give Benediction after the Mass.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

Rathmines Council Co-option.—Sir Simon Maddock, Chairman, presided at a special meeting of the Rathmines Urban District Council yesterday, when Mrs. Mary Mulvey, Rathmines terrace, was co-opted a member of the Council to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. M. J. Kennedy.

Sale of Drink on Good Friday.—In the Dublin District Court yesterday, Peter Kelly, publican, Ashtown, was summoned for keeping his licensed premises open for the sale of intoxicating drink on Good Friday last. Mr. E. H. Burne, solicitor, said that Mr. Kelly assured him that he did not know that Good Friday was a closing day. Justice Cussen found the facts proved, but said that he accepted the defendant's statement that he did not know that the law had changed. He applied the Probation Act, and trusted that Mr. Kelly would see the propriety of placing £5 in the poor box. Mr. Kelly said that he would do so. Several of the men found on the premises, having given their correct names and addresses, were fined 5s. each.

PASSENGERS BY R. AND L. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS:—Sir Arthur Chance, Miss M. Dillon Leetch, A. N. Haworth, W. Murphy, R. Campbell, G. B. Waters, R. Curtis, J. W. Moore, S. Gibson, H. G. Smith, T. Cussen, T. Keely, J. Preston.

DEPARTURES:—J. Wyatt, W. Fletcher, J. Henry, Captain Knox Foote, W. J. Hughes, Miss G. Webb, R. Millington, T. Ogden, W. J. Ireland, T. Cullen.

LEINSTER.

Found Dead in Bed.—Death from heart failure was the verdict returned at the inquest on Daniel Campion (38), who was found dead in his bed at Crannagh, Mountrath.

Price of Pork.—At Ballinagh pork market there were 252 carcases offered for sale, and these changed hands at 11½d. per cwt.

The Western Command.—Major-General Sweeney, Custume Barracks, Athlone, states that the statement made at the Athlone Urban Council meeting that the headquarters of the Western Command were to be transferred to Mullingar is without foundation.

Window-Breaker Sentenced.—At Athboy District Sessions, Margaret Julia Fenlis, of no fixed abode, charged with having damaged a plate glass window, the property of Mary O'Rourke, Athboy, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, without hard labour.

Sheebenging Traffic.—In fining Elizabeth Byrne, Shanahoe, £25 and costs, or two months' imprisonment, for sheebenging Justice W. Meagher, at Abbeyleix District Court, said that such traffic was unfair to licensed traders, who, for breaches of the Licensing Act, would have their licences endorsed and probably forfeited.

Westmeath Agricultural Committee.—Westmeath County Committee of Agriculture approved of the creation of an Agricultural Council, and, pending its establishment, a Central Committee, representative of the various County Committees. Messrs. A. T. F. Briscoe, Killucan, and John Ryan, Mullingar, were appointed delegates to the Congress in June.

Evil Literature.—At a representative meeting held in Wexford, the Rev. J. Sinnott, C.C., presiding, a resolution was adopted urging on the Government the need for legislation to restrict the circulation of evil literature on the lines recommended by the witnesses for the Catholic Truth Society of Ireland.

Animals on the Roads.—There was an unusually large number of cases in respect of wandering animals at Athboy District Sessions on last Thursday. District Justice M'Carthy said that he was very glad to see that the Civic Guards had been exercising such vigilance with regard to the roads. The roads were sufficiently dangerous otherwise, and his only regret was that he had no power to make the fines heavier.

Dead in Kitchen.—At the inquest held by Dr. M. D. Gray, Coroner, Longford, on James Donohoe (69), who was found dead in the kitchen of his house at Mollygiass, Dr. Reynolds stated that the cause of death was heart failure and that there was no evidence of foul play. A verdict in accordance with the medical evidence was returned.

MUNSTER.

Fatal Fall From Tree.—John O'Meara, farmer, while cutting branches off a tree on his land at Ballywire, near Galbally, fell from the tree, a distance of 16 feet, sustaining fatal injuries.

Woman Robbed by Highwaymen.—While Mrs. Pratt, Askeaton, County Limerick, was driving into Limerick, she was held up near Mungret by two undisguised men, who jumped from behind a ditch. They deprived her of her purse, which contained £4. The Civic Guards are making inquiries.

Mr. Richard Daly, M.C.C., of Ballymartin, Dungourney, Co. Cork, has been appointed a Peace Commissioner.

ULSTER.

Crops Damaged by Frost.—Considerable damage has been done by frost to potatoes and oats in County Cavan.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

Fined £10 for Trapping Cat.—At Newcastle Petty Sessions yesterday, Major R. J. Isentwick, Newcastle, who did not appear, was fined £10 and 10s. costs on a charge of cruelty to a cat by trapping it. A charge of cruelty to cats and dogs by trapping them on different dates was dismissed.

Bigamy Charge.—Charged with contracting a bigamous marriage at Flarmand, Quebec, Canada, in August, 1925, Rodolphus Wilson Kane, said to be a doctor, was remanded at the Belfast Custody Court yesterday. The Rev. J. H. Morton gave evidence that on 29th October, 1908, he married the accused man to Mary Louisa Starrett at Eglinton Street Presbyterian Church. He saw her alive in May last, and knew that she was managing a nursing home.

Boy's Fatal Hesitancy.—A verdict of accidental death was returned at the inquest held in the City Hall, Belfast, yesterday, on William Parr (4), who was knocked down by a motor car. Andrew Rice, Rowan street, sai dthat he was in Sandy Row on last Tuesday and saw a little boy crossing the street. In the centre of the road the boy hesitated and was knocked down by the car, which was travelling about 10 miles per hour. David Kelly, Ivernia street, corroborated. Mr. J. Reid, who appeared for the driver of the car (George Smith, a medical student), said that on behalf of Mr. Smith, senior, he expressed regret for what had happened. Practical sympathy would be given.

CLASSICAL DANCING.

MADAME ROCK'S MATINEE.

The sea, in its mysteries of mood and colour, has always been a source of inspiration to the painter and the poet. The overture to Wagner's "The Flying Dutchman" senses the sea throughout—the roar of the billows, the scream of the wind through sails and rope, the ship's dashing and plunging, and the buffetings of the gale. It is a wonderful prelude to the opera as "atmosphere," and, by itself, is a study of movement and intense feeling. As such it is being interpreted by Miss Nancy Rock through her adult pupils of classical dancing. Spirits of water, wind, and fire follow the gorgeous tone poem in group and movement, after the idea of Saga dancing, as originated by Miss Rock in Tailteann week, and the exaltation of music has made possible the beautiful outlines and rhythmic effects that have been attained. This classical dance study will be included at Madame Rock's

bought new crops, and the [illegible] increased, and prices rallied [illegible]. The market closed steady, 1d. down to but ½c. to ¼c. up for later positions.

	To-day	Prev. day
Hard Winter spot ...	184½	184½
Hard Winter spot ...	157	160½
—Opening options—	May	July	Sept.
... ...	164¾	156½	148½
day	161⅞	156¼	148¾
—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
... ...	162¼	156½	148¾
day	163⅛	156¾	149¼

WHEAT at the opening of business was steady to unchanged. The market finished firm at ¼c. gain.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 mixed	72⅝	72
—Opening options—	May	July	Sept.
... ...	69¼	73½	71¾
day	69⅞	73¾	71⅞
—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
... ...	70	74¼	72⅛
day	69⅝	73⅝	71⅞

OATS quiet and unchanged to ¼c. up.

—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
... ...	39½	40½	40¼
day	39¼	40¾	40¼

BARLEY steady, ¼c. to ½c. higher. No. 2 spot unquoted.

—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
... ...	83	85½	87½
day	82¾	86¼	87½

PROVISIONS—Lard opened easy, and values declined owing to the lower hog quotations. Packers, liquidation, and a slow cash demand caused rallies took place later on short covering by moderate commission house demand, and the market finished steady, with futures unchanged to 5 points lower and spot 5½ points higher, after being 5 points down all round. Lard—Spot, 15.67½.

	July	Sept.	Oct.
—Closing options—	15.75	15.97½	16.02½
day	15.77½	15.97½	16.06

	May	July	Sept.
—Closing options—	17.00	17.00	17.07½
day	17.05	17.05	17.12½

BACON steady and unaltered.

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HOGS easier. Light sorts 10 points lower to 5 higher and heavy 10 to 5 points down. Light, 15.70 to 14.75; heavy hogs, 13.30 to 14.10.

	To-day	Same day last year
Cattle—Western Cities ...	76,000	58,000
Chicago ...	18,000	16,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western cities, including Chicago, since the 1st March, 5,874,000, against 6,664,000 same season last year.

CATTLE STEALING EPIDEMIC.

FLIGHT POLICE PATROL CHAIN OVER COUNTRY URGED.

In view of the "epidemic of cattle stealing over the country," Longford County Council, at its last meeting, passed a resolution calling upon the Government to have Civic Guard patrols between the hours of 12 midnight and 6 a.m., the patrols to connect each other so as to form a patrol chain all over the Free State during the six months, in the hope that thieves may thus be speedily brought to justice.

The Council decided to send copies of this resolution to all County Councils in the Free State and to the Civic Guard authorities.

BELFAST CORPORATION CLERK CHARGED.

SUM OF £600 INVOLVED.

There was a surprising sequel to a prosecution for embezzlement against a Belfast Corporation clerk, William J. M'Dowell, of Hillsborough, Co. Down, which fell through in March last, in the Belfast Custody Court yesterday when he was remanded on a charge of embezzling a sum of £600, the property of the Corporation.

Mr. H. H. Mussen, solicitor, who appeared on behalf of the Attorney-General to prosecute, said that the charge of fraudulent conversion of the sum of £468 was originally instituted by the Corporation. When the case was called in March last it was withdrawn without explanation and without the Attorney-General being consulted. It appeared, Mr. Mussen added, that a sum of £600 had been paid over to the Corporation, and in that way the matter had been hushed up. The papers were afterwards put before the Attorney-General, and he considered that it was a case that should be investigated.

Mr. Mussen said that he did not propose to give more than evidence of arrest at present, and the accused, for whom Mr. Hanan appeared, was remanded for a week. Bail was allowed in £100 and two sureties of £50 each.

SUMMONS AGAINST A FORMER OFFICIAL.

A case arising out of the recent sworn inquiry into the Belfast Corporation housing schemes will be held in the Belfast Summons Court on Tuesday next on a summons against Thomas Charles Wardlow, formerly a clerk in the Housing Department. The summons, which was signed by Mr. H. Toppin, R.M., is in reference to the alleged alteration of a figure in tender form for broken stones and dressings of one David Ingram, dated 28th March, 1924.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF THE DUBLIN BATTALION.

The annual inspection of the Dublin Battalion, the Boys' Brigade, has been fixed to take place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, at Lord Iveagh's Gardens.

Owing to inclement weather, the two previous inspections had to be abandoned. On each occasion nothing has been left undone to make the programme attractive. The inspection, and march by the battalion, over 900 strong, will be followed by displays of scientific work. The presentation of the various trophies will be a fitting conclusion to the closing of the winter session's work, which, on account of the visit of the Brigade Display to Dublin in September last, opened considerably earlier than the usual time.

CONSULAR APPOINTMENTS.

The following Consular appointments in the Irish Free State have been duly recognised:—Mr. J. C. Foley, as Honorary Consul for Austria in Cork, and Mr. Julian Pilkington, as Vice-Consul of the United States in Dublin.

RATHMINES MAN'S DEATH.

A young man named Matthew Masterson, Newwood place, Rathmines, was taken to Meath Hospital last night, and on admission was found to be dead. John Tully, 123 Pleasant Buildings, subsequently surrendered himself to the Rathmines Police.

It is stated that the two men quarrelled while having a picture house in Rathmines, and that Masterson fell. Whether the fall was accidental or not does not appear to be known at the moment, but as he was insensible an ambulance was called.

There was a slight mark on the head and one of the ears.

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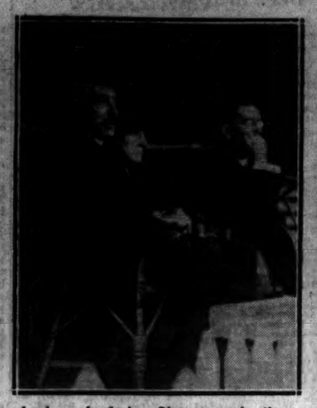
IRELAND AND SPAIN IN THE DAVIS CUP.

Ireland v. Spain in the Doubles Match of the Davis Cup at Fitzwilliam Lawn Tennis Club, Dublin, yesterday.

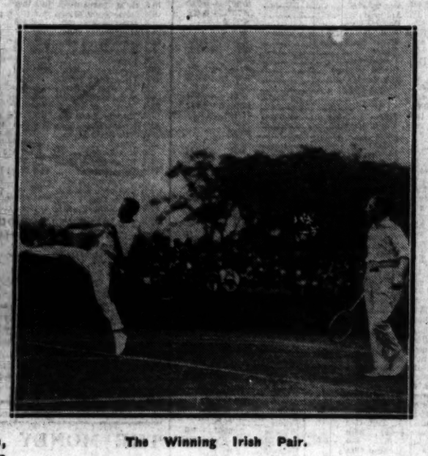


Lord and Lady Glenavy and the Archbishop of Dublin watching the play.

A "Smash" by B. Haughton (Ireland).

A. Juanico in action.

The Teams:—Front row: V. Allman-Smith, F. Sindreu (Spain), L. A. Meldon, and A. Juanico (Spain). Back row: M. Tarruella (Spain), E. A. McGuire, Dr. A. P. Barry, B. Haughton, and J. B. Shortt.

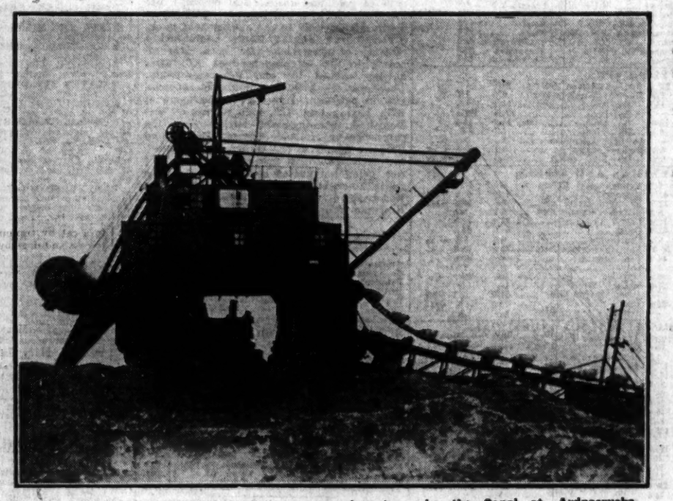


The Winning Irish Pair.

Sheep Shearing by hand and machinery in County Dublin.

A photograph of Mr. W. J. Hamilton, President of the Dublin Stock Exchange, taken in 1885, when he won the Irish Lawn Tennis Championship. He held the English Championship in 1890.

The Temporary Power Station at Ardnacrusha.



The Excavator which Messrs. Siemens are using to make the Canal at Ardnacrusha.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

RESTRICTION OF RENTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The problem of housing affects everyone in the community, and any light thrown upon the problem, or helpful suggestions as to remedying its needs, must be welcomed. As one, therefore, who in the nature of things sees all sides of the great question, may I through your columns supply some information and suggest some remedies?

Up to the year 1908, when Mr. Lloyd George made his ill-advised and foolish attack upon property-owners, house-owners and builders by his Finance Act, with its iniquitous increment value duty, the situation was this:—On the various roads round Dublin there were always houses to be let, and tenants had their choice. Landlords, in order to let their houses, spent money upon them and everyone benefited. Builders had an open market and just as readily let a new house as sold it, because there was always a buyer for house let, many purchasing such as an excellent investment. It was a pleasure to do business and supply the wants of many young couples and older folk, and the demand and supply went hand in hand. Not only that, but there was as a rule a kindly feeling between landlord and tenant, and each helped the other.

Mr. Lloyd George's lunatic Act started to destroy all this, as the crushing burdens he proposed to levy upon all classes of people interested in property at once checked building, and from 1908 to 1914 in Great Britain alone there was a scarcity of 200,000 houses annually. The period of the Great War came as a further calamity, and houses became so scarce that, naturally, high prices were obtained for vacant ones, and it was far more profitable to sell than to effect a letting. Then there arose an outcry against "profiteering" in houses, and it was alleged that many who had fought in the Great War were penalised by extortionate rents; and so legislation to check such was introduced. This was necessary and salutary then; but, unfortunately so many restrictions were placed upon house-owners that they gave up the idea of letting and only offered houses for sale when vacant, and spent as little as possible upon their property. All the Rent Acts destroyed kindly feeling between landlord and tenant and set them at loggerheads instead.

The Government has exerted itself splendidly to encourage building and a good deal is going on, but, not quarter enough. Many of the houses of the older type have been converted into excellent flats, and these have helped to supply a want; but, if we really desire to remedy the lamentable shortage of houses for letting, we must have five cardinal points before us, and they are these:—

(1) Cease unjust attacks upon landlords; they are as human as tenants.

(2) Get rid as speedily as possible of all Rent Restriction Acts.

(3) Let a house becoming idle be automatically "decontrolled."

(4) Charge no rates or taxes upon new houses for three years.

(5) Let the railway companies or tram company give a free rail or tram ticket for three years to every new house.

We must get into our minds, and keep it there all the time, that the great want, the crying want, is houses for letting. To do this, landlords must have every encouragement and not one discouragement. There must be a free market in dealing with all properties. If the possession of property is viewed as a crime, then houses will not be built.

There must be in this great question and vital problem the earnest and kindliest co-operation of everyone. Fighting and setting one class against another will not help matters; but, with a broad sympathy for the landlord who has invested his savings in what should be a fine investment, and a kindly consideration for the tenant, the solution will not be far off. As some control must necessarily prevail for one, two or three years, the amount of valuation should be greatly lessened every year, and at least in 1929 brought down to £20, and finally done away with. Landlords should readily be granted 20 p.c. increase on standard rent for repairs, and "profiteering" by sub-letting should be drastically dealt with.—Yours, etc.,

JAMES S. MCMAHON, President, Irish Auctioneers' and Estate Agents' Association.

South Great George's street, Dublin, May 21st, 1926.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Referring to my previous letter to you, as it would appear that the Government have wobbled on the valuation limit in respect to which control would apply, and propose to make so sweeping a reduction in regard to this as from £52 to £40, it is more than ever necessary that some protection be given to tenants whose valuation exceeds the limits proposed. I, therefore, would press that all tenants whose valuations are above the limit of control should in the bill have the protection of the Law Courts with respect to the fixing of their rents so as to ensure that these shall not be extortionate or in any wise unfair—the presiding judge to take into account all the circumstances of every individual case. This would prevent sub-lessors from making undue profit at the expense of the superior owner.

This principle is really nothing new, as, under the existing law, if landlord and tenant cannot agree on the amount of the rent, the matter is settled by the District or Circuit Judge; hence I do not urge anything unreasonable or novel. I believe that it will be agreed that something of the sort is most necessary, and I trust that it will be brought forward and will receive the support of the majority of the House.—Yours, etc.,

"ONE WHO IS HIT."

Dublin, May 21st, 1926.

THE FREE STATE FLAG.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The International Tennis Tournament between Spain and Ireland was held for a second day in the grounds of the Fitzwilliam Lawn Tennis Club. There was no national flag; but a Spanish flag was found, however, and flew from a staff in the Club's grounds. To what country does the Fitzwilliam Club think it belongs? It cannot consider England its country or even its spiritual home; for the Union Jack was ignored as well as the Free State Tricolour. Judging by this, Spain is the native land of the Fitzwilliam Lawn Tennis Club. A little bit of Spain in Ireland! This would be an interesting theory to examine, if it were not for a difficulty which crossed my mind. If the Fitzwilliam Club thinks it is Spain, why was not Mr. de Valera invited—even to referee? In fairness to the Fitzwilliam Lawn Tennis Club, which does not count much in the national life, it is only right to say and to think that it may have been encouraged to ignore both the Irish flag and Irish sentiment by the Royal Dublin Society, which, with a membership of 8,000 and annual support of 150,000, has consistently omitted the national flag from every part of its premises, and has done this apparently without remonstrance from 150,000 easy-going Irishmen. No civilised country, not even Belfast (for Belfast never omits the Union Jack of the Parliament superior to it), would tolerate such studious insolence.

In Rome the streets were decorated with the Tricolour when the President, as a private individual, visited that city. Geneva honours the Irish flag with those of every other nation. It held its place in the decorative scheme during the assembly of the League of Nations. In the Imperial Conference at Wembley, near London, the Irish flag was given its place of honour in conjunction with the other flags of Commonwealth nations. When the President, as head of the State, travels it is flown on the mail boat. It can be seen on the high seas. It is only, for instance, behind Fitzwilliam square, and in places where certain Irish institutions are controlled by those who obviously cannot have much sympathy with the sentiments of their members or their "subjects" whose supineness suffers it, that their flag with impunity is ignored—the flag that has stood for law and order; the flag that is a guarantee for fair play to all parties in this country; the flag that even permits gate-money to be collected legally, and legally to be held. Such ignoring of the national sentiment, by preventing the fullest participation of the nation in sport, stultifies the very aim of sporting institutions. It gives a firm excuse to the narrow-minded to ban "foreign games," because still narrower-minded people instigate such notions. We do not want competition between the narrow-minded in Ireland. What we want is sport that may fairly be called national, and truly international when another country comes here to compete.—Yours, etc.,

OLIVER ST. JOHN GOGARTY, Senator.

Dublin, May 21st, 1926.

TRADE AND LABOUR DISPUTES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have for many years been an advocate for the one and only way in which stability in the Labour world can be brought about, and that is by the formation of local boards of arbitration, and that Parliament should by legislation adopt means to have the decisions of these boards compulsory on both employers and workers. There are frequently faults at both sides, and stability in the labour market is absolutely essential, if capital is to be invested with any prospect of a fair return. My idea has always been that district boards should be composed of a member from the employers, one from the workers, and one nominated by the Government, so that a fair verdict should be come to with regard to any trade or labour disputes which may arise, and also with a view to deciding that the award should be recognised and upheld for a period of at least twelve months.

The Government should take the responsibility of enforcing the decisions, if necessary, the penalties to be fines, with the alternative of imprisonment, in the event of continued or repeated offences. Of course, it would not be feasible to put large numbers of men into prison, and an alternative should be provided whereby they would lose civil rights for three or five years in the event of disregard of the decisions. The funds of organisations, whether of employers or trade unions, should be capable of being attachable to meet penalties and expenses. As a rule, the workers and their leaders are quite agreeable to have boards of arbitration, but they do not fall in with the idea of having the decisions of these boards made compulsory. They say on principle that they object to compulsion, but surely the ordinary law of the land every day is compulsion, and the Public Health Acts are compulsion, and the decisions submitted to in a Court of Justice also. In the interest of the trade and commerce of our country, it is to my mind absolutely essential that compulsory powers should be given to uphold the decisions of any boards of arbitration appointed.

Some of us can remember many industries flourishing in Cork, and we have early recollections of labour disputes. One of my earliest recollections of a labour dispute goes back to the time when shipbuilding and ship-repairing were driven out of Cork. There were two dockyards at work in Cork; the late Mr. Ebenezer Pike and the Steam Packet Company controlled one, and Mr. Robinson the other. Steamers and ships were built there, not alone for the Packet Company, but for others; some of the Harbour Commissioners' hopper barges were also built there, and many hundreds of men had good and constant employment. Unfortunately, a labour dispute arose which it was found impossible to settle, with the result that the dockyards were closed up, and the money which would otherwise have been spent in Cork, all these years from time to time, has since been spent across the Channel. Other countries have adopted the principle of compulsory legislation for the settlement of trade and labour disputes. Australia, New Zealand, Canada, and quite recently, after many months of debate, Nova Scotia have adopted the principle, and this morning's newspapers inform us that the Government of Italy have now recognised the importance of doing something to prevent the recurrence of trade disputes and of strikes, and are taking measures accordingly. Some people think it would be no harm if Signor Mussolini paid a visit to this country. In Australia the newspapers reported that men were fined heavily, with the alternative of imprisonment, for having endeavoured to promote a strike while the local board of arbitration was sitting with a view of bringing about a settlement.

We are all interested in our country, and I would ask for very favourable consideration of the suggestions which I now put forward, as I am convinced that the adoption of some such method of promoting good relations between Capital and Labour is the one and only way in which capital can be coaxed back, and in which increased and permanent employment can be looked forward to by the artisans and working classes generally. I would strongly urge that prominent men among the employers and the workers should take this matter up warmly and promptly. Trade and business have unfortunately slipped away from Cork, and it will require very energetic steps to cope with the competition which our traders have now to contend with from other places. The Chambers of Commerce and similar institutions should not allow matters to continue to drift any longer, and should use all the influence which they very properly possess in order to bring about the happiest results which are sure to follow a good and friendly feeling between Capital and Labour when the interests of all parties have been fairly recognised.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN HARLEY SCOTT, Knt., High Sheriff of Cork.

Wellington House, Cork, May 21st, 1926.

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AN ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME.

Trinity Week will be held this year from June 14th to June 19th. This event has been an institution in Dublin for many years, and every year causes increased interest, keeping pace with the steady growth of sport in Ireland.

This year the programme is more attractive than ever, and, given fine weather, lovers of sport have every prospect of an interesting week. On Monday and Tuesday a cricket match between Dublin University Cricket Club and County Cork will take place; the latter side are likely to be very strong in view of the Munster v. Leinster match on the following days. The College Races showed a big revival last year both in athletic interest and in social importance, which is likely to be eclipsed this season. Several interesting new events figure in the programme, including a relay race between the various College clubs. The Dublin University Swimming Club will hold a gala at Iveagh Baths on Tuesday evening; besides the usual events, representatives from Guy's Hospital, one of the foremost English clubs, are expected.

Last year the Irish Senior Inter-University boxing championships resulted in a draw, and the greatest keenness is being displayed this year. The event will take place in the Gymnasium, T.C.D., on Thursday evening, June 17th.

On Thursday afternoon the Dublin University Lawn Tennis Club's championships will be played, and it is hoped to stage an exhibition match between several prominent players. The concluding event of the week is the Dublin University Boat Club Regatta at Island Bridge; the quality and quantity of the entries promise to surpass all previous records. The Trinity Week dance on Friday, 18th June, from 8 to 12 o'clock, will round off what should be a most successful week.

AUCTION SALES.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

Messrs. Battersby and Co. advertise a varied list of properties for their auction on the 3rd June. They will offer "Adsar," Monkstown; Berea House, Rathfarnham; 10 Mount Eden road, Donnybrook; Glenatal, Foxrock, on one acre; 59 Thomas street and 73 Ampler street, two business premises; Tivoli, Castle avenue, Clontarf, on one acre, and 20 New Brighton, Bray.

MESSRS. DOCKRELL.

On Wednesday next Messrs. Dockrell will sell the modern house, 23 Iona road, Glasnevin, by auction on the premises. On Thursday, 10th June, they announce in our auction columns the sale of a detached house, Knocknacree, at Dalkey, standing on half an acre of ground. On the same date they will sell the shop 41 South Great George's street. The upper part of Nos. 41 and 42 are included in this shop.

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

The Bishop of Cork will be the special preacher at Morning Service (11 o'clock) tomorrow in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin. There will be special offerings on behalf of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts. There will be Festival Evensong at 3.30 o'clock.

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Sept. 14-Oct. 9. Booking closes Aug. 23. £40.
ASSISI AND ROME:
Sept. 28-Oct. 13. Booking closes Sept. 6:—£22 2nd Class; £17 10/- 3rd Class.
ROME:
Oct. 12-25. Booking closes Sept. 13. £28 1st Class; £22 15/- 2nd Class.

The fares quoted above are from London. For Pilgrims joining any of the above parties return fare from any station in Ireland to London will be at the rate of fare and one-third. If bookings justify, a special Irish party will be formed in connection with each pilgrimage and tour.

In Ireland bookings should be effected through the Catholic Truth Society of Ireland, 7-8 Lower Abbey street, Dublin, where full particulars may be had on application.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN QUIET.

FAVOURABLE TREND.

The Stock Markets in Dublin presented a generally favourable trend, though occasionally profit-taking influenced dulness for the time being. Government Loans were irregularly disposed after fairly general dealing. British Funds were in strong request, and gains (but mostly light) were established. The demand for Provincial Bank Shares was renewed. Bank Stock was steady and Nationals the turn quieter. Guinness Ord. were the turn lower, while J. Power and Son Pref. were in good demand all day, and closed wanted at an advance. Marconi Ord. at one time gave way further, possibly on view as to coming dividend statement for the 1925 trading, but closed at a full recovery. Home Rails were quiet, and scarcely any business resulted. Dunlop Rubber Ord. marked time about 26s.-26s. 1½d. Parent Trust Def. were in demand, and recovered nearly a couple of shillings, but the Ord. were unaltered, or a shade lower, for odd lots. Alliance Gas eased a further turn. Bolands repeated last price. The feature among Manufacturing Shares was the bidding for British-American Tobacco Shares, still due to belated bonus anticipations. Imperials at the earlier market were a few pence better in sympathy, and later were bid for strongly at a further advance. Thread and Courtaulds Ordinary Shares eased a little in the Textile group. The further rise in J. G. Mooney and Co. Ord., bringing the £5 shares to 10½, was in the nature of a feature. Burke Debs. and Ord. Shares were quoted slightly lower. Shells were busy, but weaker, on profit-taking.

LONDON FIRM.

TOBACCO SHARES STRONG.

Despite the continuance of the coal deadlock, a generally steady to firm tone ruled in the London Stock Markets yesterday. The volume of business remained small, however, was on a distinctly smaller scale, the approach of the Whitsun holiday having a restricting influence. Gilt-edged securities were not altered to any great extent, but quotations eased a trifle, after a slight improvement in the early hours. Foreign Government Stocks also finished much the same as before. A slightly easier tendency developed during the early hours in British Rails, but prices rallied later, and final values showed little alteration from the overnight levels. A generally steady tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, but, with a couple or so exceptions, closing quotations were the same as before. Rubbers were irregular, prices easing in several directions on a decline in the commodity. Oils were also uncertain, but among Industrials, Tobaccos were a feature of strength. A good tone prevailed in Mining issues, the Cape and London both giving support.

BREWERY DEAL.

A Wigan telegram says:—Messrs. H. Peter Walker and Son, the well-known firm of brewers, have purchased Messrs. Airey's brewery, Wigan. About forty licensed houses will be affected by the transaction.

CUBAN SUGAR RESTRICTION.

The President of Cuba has notified the Cuban Embassy in Washington and the Legations in London that the production of sugar for the 1925-26 crop will be limited to 4,758,993 tons. The law to this effect will be applied without concessions of any kind. The President has also announced that the harvesting of the 1926-27 crop will begin after January 1, and that every effort will be made to make the world's sugar production equal to the normal consumption.

INDIAN BANK RATE REDUCED.

The Imperial Bank of India has reduced its discount rate from 6 to 5 per cent. The last change took place on December 3, 1925, when the rate was raised from 5 per cent. to 6 per cent.

BRAZIL GOVERNMENT LOAN.

No portion of the Brazilian Federal Government loan is to be issued upon the London market for the present. It is also certain that no substantial part of the issue will be placed privately in London, although it is not absolutely impossible that small blocks of bonds may eventually find their way there. Messrs. Dillon, Read and Co. on Thursday issued, in New York, $30,000,000 Brazilian Government 6½ per cent. Bonds at the price of 90 per cent.

CROSSES AND WINKWORTH.

A drastic reconstruction and recapitalisation of this company will be made as soon as the finances are on a sufficiently sound footing, stated Mr. W. A. Greenhalgh, chairman of directors, at the annual meeting of shareholders. Owing to the big difference of values of the boom period and present-day values an undertaking to pay £300,000 dividends, with the depreciation required on 200,000 spindles, could not be fulfilled. The profit made by the company last year would be a good one on present-day values, and, in fact, steady progress was being made in consolidating the firm despite the difficulties. In reply to questions as to reorganisation, the Chairman said about three years ago the company owed £1,000,000, and now the amount was under £1,000,000.

CONSOLIDATED TRUST.

The directors recommend that out of the undivided profits a bonus equal to 10 p.c. on the Deferred Stock be distributed rateably among holders of Deferred Stock. This bonus will be satisfied by a pro rata distribution of Deferred Shares of £1 each, which will be converted into Deferred Stock. The necessary sum will be taken from the revenue reserve account, which, after adding the surplus profit for the past year and deducting the bonus, will stand at £47,166.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Rovers still most active of motor shares, but price steadily declined. Standards strong again, price rising again. Dunlops higher. Austins, 6/3; Debentures, 89½; Bisseels, 39/3; Components, 6/6; S.T.D., 3/10½; Enfields, 4/-; Humbers, 34/-; Dennis, 73; Napier, 35/6; Rolls, 35/6; Rovers, 7/6; Singers, 45/-; Standards, 38/-; Swifts, 4/-; Triumphs, 31/-; Dunlops, 26/1½; Parent Deferred, 36/3.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles continue a firm market. Bleachers, 45/6-44/6; Calicos, 33/-33/6; Bradford Dyers, 53/6-54/6; Sewing Cottons, 56/6-57/-; Fine Spinners, 44/6-45/-; Slubbers, 6/9-7/3; Coats' Ordinary, 51/6-53/6; Shell Canal, 71-7/-; Ords., 22/9; Amalgamated Cotton, 6/6-7/-; Dunlops, 26/6; Courtaulds, 131/3-132/6; Hoyles, 29/-30/-; Hollins, 22/9-23/6.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Associated Reinsurers, 10/-; Caledonian Insurance, £14 9/3; Commercial Union (x.d.), 25½, ½; Atlas, 15½; Eagle Star, 8½; General Accident, 7½, ½; Gresham Fire Insurance (x.d.), 26/-, 18/6; Guardian Eastern, 5/3, 7½; London Associated Reinsurance, 6/11, 7/1½, 6/7½, 7/1½; London Assurance, 11; Motor Union, 6½, ½; Northern Assurance, 14½; Ditto Preference, 14½, ½; Phœnix, 13½, ½; Ditto Pelican, 13½; Refinsurance Corporation, 18/9; Royal Exchange, 7½, ½; Royal Insurance, 34; Sun Insurance, 21½, 2, ½; Sun Life, 45; United British, 25½.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance, 16½; ditto New, 16½; Atlas, £18 16/-, 18/9; Commercial Union (x.d.), 25½; Employers' Liability, 79/6; General Accident, 7½; Guardian, 8½; London and Lancashire, 21½; North British (x.d.), 23½; Northern, 14-7/-; Phœnix, 267/-; Royal Insurance, 34; Scottish Union (x.d.), 10½.

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COMPANY NOTICES.

INGLIS & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE TRANSFER BOOKS and REGISTER OF PREFERENCE and ORDINARY SHARES of this Company will be CLOSED from the 25th May, 1926, to 8th June, 1926, both days inclusive.

N. INGLIS GARDNER, Secretary.

Share and Transfer Offices,
83 Donegall place, Belfast.

LONDON MOVEMENTS.

Business continued on a fair scale in the gilt-edged market yesterday, but prices showed little change at the end of the day. Consols repeated 56, while War Loans and Conversion Loans, Funding Loans and Victory Bonds were all at overnight values. Indias, on the other hand, were inclined to ease in some directions, but, with the exception of the Threes, which finished ¼ lower at 62½, closing values were the same as on Thursday. Among Colonial Government Stocks, West Australian 5 p.c., 1935-45, at 98 were a point better.

Foreign Government Stocks were steady, and, with business small, final levels were not much altered from the previous day. French Fives and Fours, however, both finished harder, on the better tendency of the exchange, the former being ¼ higher at 11 x.d., while the latter were ⅛ to the good. Turkish Unified at 15 were ¼ above the overnight quotation.

RAILS EASIER.

A distinctly easier tendency developed in Home Rails during the early hours, but later a firmer tone set in, and the initial losses were made good in the majority of instances. Metropolitans at 55½ were ½ easier. Southern "A" shares at 41½ were also below the overnight rate, but the Pref. Ord. closed ¼ firmer at 79.

Colonial and Foreign Rails were quiet and steady in tone. Bahia Blanca Guaranteed Stock at 80 were finally a point firmer, while Brazil Common at 2 were ¼ harder.

RUBBER SHARES LOWER.

An irregular tendency prevailed in the Rubber market yesterday, while the volume of business put through was on a smaller scale. An easier tone rules in the commodity market. Spot to June sold at 1s. 10d. per lb., while July-September also October to December, after opening at 1s. 10d., went back to 1s. 9½d., then recovered to 1s. 10d. per lb. at the close. In the share market Bukit Rajah at 45s. were 1s. 6d. to the good. Straits Rubber at 29s. 3d. were 1s. 4½d. to the good. Eastern Trust, on the other hand, dropped back to 35s., or 1s. lower, while Linggi shed 1s. 6d. Pilmoor at 56s. 3d. showed a decline of 1s. 9d., and Sialang at 74s. were 1s. 7½d. lower. Tandjong Malim shed 1s. 3d., and Telogoredjo at 76s. 7½d. were 1s. 10½d. down.

TEA SHARES STEADY.

Business continued on a rather small scale in the Tea Share market yesterday, while an irregular tendency was again evident. Price movements were not numerous. Anglo-Ceylon regained the better half of their decline of the previous day, the final level being 9d. higher at 48s. 9d., while Assam Dooars at 51½ were ½ to the good. Cachar and Dooars were again higher, while Ceylon Props. at 75s. 6d. were 2s. to the good. Cons. Tea and Lands went ¼ better to 32½. Chubwas were an exceptionally dull market, the final quotation being no less than 5s. 10½d. lower at 94s. 11d. Dooloogram at 44s. were 1s. down. Needem dropped 1s. 3d.

OIL SHARES MORE SUBDUED.

Transactions in Oil shares yesterday were generally of a quiet character, and, although occasional buying was reported in a few specialities, the prices of which responded to the demand, most of the leading issues developed an easier tendency. In the case of Royal Dutch and Shells this was attributable to further sales on Paris account. Firm spots were provided by Anglo-Americans, Mexican Eagles, Phœnix and British Controlled. Overnight Prices from New York had little influence on the market: for, while Royal Dutch came over higher, Shells and Anglo-Americans were quoted easier in that centre. Among the leaders, Shells, following New York advices, opened easier at 4½, and, with further sales encountered from Paris, and very little support being received locally, the price weakened to 4¾ at which a decline of 2s. is recorded. Continental selling was responsible for a decline of ½ in Royal Dutch. New York was hardly a factor, except in the case of Anglo-Americans, which met with support from that centre, and rose ⅛ to 3⅛. A steady business was transacted in Mexican Eagles, but the price fluctuated within narrow limits, and was finally unaltered at 25s., the 8 p.c. Part. Prefs. remaining at 21s. 9d., but the 7 p.c. 1st Prefs. improved to 16s. 6d. Among Venezuelans British Controlled were looking none too bright in the early hours, a fairly large line of the shares coming on the market; but, whereas dealers were caught in the morning, the reverse was the case in the afternoon, a sudden demand catching them short. As a result of the day's business the Common Shares registered a gain of 3d. at 10s. 6d., and the Preferred strengthened to 12s. 7½d.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

With the coal dispute still unsettled on the eve of the Whit holidays, dealers in the Industrial market yesterday were not disposed to further their commitments to any marked extent. Consequently price movements were of an irregular nature and chiefly connected with the evening-up of books. Only really active spots were B.A.T. Imperials and Dunlops. Quite a large turnover was again witnessed in all three shares, the first-named being particularly lively on bonus anticipations, probably on the lines indicated in our issue of the 19th inst. They opened buyers at 119s. 6d., and by lunch-time had passed the £6 mark, with business recorded in the bearer shares at 121s. 3d. Imperials changed hands freely up to 103s., closing with a net gain of 7½d. at 102s. 6d. Apart from Copes, which lost ¼ at 3¾ in the absence of an increase in the dividend, other Tobacco Shares had a firm appearance, Godfrey Phillips improving ¼ to 3¼, with United Tobacco South at 4¾ and the Def. at 4⅝, each ¼ to the good. The buying of Dunlops was reported to be of an influential character, and the shares changed hands freely up to 26s. 4½d., closing a further 3d. up on balance at 26s. 3d. The coal deadlock naturally reflected itself on the shares of companies concerned, but there was again no pressure to sell, prices merely sagging in the absence of buyers. Textiles continued an uncertain market, though early signs of forthcoming from the North for Bleachers, 4½d. better at 44s. 11d.; Bradford Dyers 3d. harder at 54s., Linen Threads 9d. to the good at 32s. 3d., and Listers 6d. up at 24s. There were more sellers than buyers about for Courtaulds, which finished ⅛ lower at 6⅞. Snias found supporters and rallied further to 51s. 3d.

Following the recent advance, some professional profit-taking was witnessed in the Electrical group. Quite a fair trading was again seen in the Banking department, though the business passing was about evenly divided between buyers and sellers. Nitrates remained an uncertain market. There was less doing in Breweries, though Hoare and Co. changed hands up to 48s. 3d., and Ind Coopes at 66s. 3d., with a fair trading reported in Style and Winch up to 37s. Watney Def. finished unchanged at 220¾ after changing at 220 and 220. An investment inquiry for P. and O. Def. lifted the price 2½ to 242½, while among other Shipping issues Cunards met with further support, closing 3d. higher at 17s. 3d. Lever Pref. issues met with a fair inquiry, the Sevens at 20s. 6d. and the Eights at 19s. 9d. Swedish Match "B" were a better market at 153½, and Bryant and Mays held at 55s. Among Motors, Dennis were bid for, but Rovers eased.

DUBLIN PRICE CHANGES.

TOBACCOS BUOYANT. TEXTILES AND GUINNESS EASED. MOONEY SHARES A FEATURE.

Government National 5 per cent. Sterling, after the 1½ rise of the previous day, relapsed ½ to 98½ on realisations. The "Dedd" Stock moved up 1 to 98½ by way of adjustment. Compensation 5 per cent. for an odd lot fell ½ to 95½, and Land Bond 4½ per cent. repeated 90¼.

British Funds were good. Consols rose ½ to 56. War Loan 5 per cent. opened ⅛ better at 100⅜, but a broken lot later was sold at 100¼. Funding Loan rose ½ to 87½, and Irish Land 3 per cent. ½ to 63½.

Banks were quiet. Provincial rose ½ to 25 for a few shares, but Nationals fell ½ to 204, while Bank Stock repeated 275.

Among Breweries, Guinness Ord. fell ½ to 74, but the Pref. repeated 11½. J. Power and Son Pref. were good, and, opening 6d. higher at 12s., advanced further to 12s. 6d. Marconi Ord. opened 9d. lower at 22s. 3d., but later fetched 23s. for an exceptional lot, while Canadians quoted no better than 4s. 1½d.

Rails were almost neglected. Great Southern Ord. rose ½ to 21, while the Pref. closed on offer at 34½, the last price, and the Debs. were called again 60 to 60¼ nominally.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. were quietly firm at 26s.-26s. 1½d. Parent Trust Ord. fell 3d. to 19s. 3d.-19s. for odd lots, but the Def. rose 1s. 9d. to 36s. 6d., while the Pref. realised 14s.

Alliance Gas fell ⅛ to 7¾.

In Bakery Shares, Bolands repeated 45s.

Manufacturing Shares were interesting, though general business was not extensive. British-American Tobacco rose 2s. 3d. to 120s.-120s. 6d. nominally, and Imperials 1s. to 103s. 3d., after opening at 102s. 6d. Courtaulds closed 9d. lower at 133s. Coats Ord. fell 4½d. to 63s., but the £10 Pref. rose ⅛ to 11¾. Cotton Ord. eased 3d. further to 56s. 3d. Vickers were firm at 8s. 3d.

In Trading, etc., Burke Ord. fell 6d. to 80s., and the Debs. ½ to 8¼. Chartered fetched 24s., and later 24s. 4½d. Dockrell Pref. fell 6d. to 14s. J. G. Mooney and Co. 8s. Ord. rose ½ to 10½. Shell Transports fell back to 93s. 3d., 92s., 93s. 3d., and Mexican Eagle Oil realised 23s. and 22s. 10½d.

BUSINESS DONE.

Nat. Loan.—(6d) 97¾ *98¼.
Do. Dedd.—(97¾) *98¼.
Compensation Stock—(95¼) *95¾.
Land Bonds.—(90½) 90¾.
Consols.—(55¾) 56.
5% War Loan—(100⅜) 100⅜ *.
3% Land.—(63½) 63¾.
Fund. Loan.—(86¾) 87¼.
Bond Stock.—(97¼) *97½.
National.—(20) 20½.
Provincial.—(24½) *25.
Guinness.—(74½) 74.
Do. Pref.—(11¾) 11½.
Power Pref.—(11⅛) 12/-.
12/6.
Marconi.—(23/-) 23/3.
Do. Canada.—4/4½.
G.S. Ord.—(20¼) 21.
Do. Pref.—(34½) 34½.
34⅝.
Do. Deb.—(60) 60⅜ 60¼.
* Odd lot. ½ bid. ¼ asked. ‡ cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount	6 p.c. Dec. 3, 1925.
Deposit	2½ p.c. Dec. 3, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	June 7 June 21
Mining tickets	June 8 June 22
General ticket	June 9 June 23
Account day	June 10 June 24

HELFAST.

Belfast Exchange concluded the week with a firm tone. War Loan was fractionally easier, being dealt in at 100⅛ and 100⅜, 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan brought 76½, and 5 p.c. National War Bonds 1925 105¼. In Bank shares, Provincials were better, changing hands at 25. Some Northern Bank B shares were done at 2¾. No transactions were recorded in Railway stocks. In Corporation issues, Belfast Water Commissioners 3 p.c. Stock was done at 66. In Industrials, J. and P. Coats were dealt in at 63s. 4½d., Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson Ord. repeated previous price, 5. Dunlop Rubbers changed hands at 26s. and 26s. 1½d., and Chartered at 24s. 3d.

TIN OUTPUT.

Bairas Mongana Tin.—Output for April, 5 tons.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

War Loan 5%	100⅜-100⅝	4½% Conv. Loan	87-88
Do. 4½%	94-95	Do. 4%	76½-77½
Do. 4%	100⅛-100⅜	Funding Loan	87½-88
Do. 4% (Tax Free)	103-103½	Do. 5%	97¾
Treas'y Bds.	99⅞-100	Do. 4%	86½-87
Victory Bds.	99⅞-100	Local Loan	94-95
5% Conv. Loan	76-76½	Golden Bds.	100-101

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCK.

Aust. Com. 5%	98-101	Q'sland 5%	98-99
Do. 6%	104-106	Do. 4%	102-104
Brit. Col. 4½	92-94	S.Africa 4% Con.	76-78
Canada 4%	97-99	Do. 3½	62-64
Cape 3½ Con.	60-62	Victoria 5%	102-104
Ceylon 4%	102-103	Do. 4%	100-102
N.S.W. 4%	72-74	Victoria 4 (Q.S.)	81-82
Do. 5%	98-100	Do. 5%	103-104
Do. 6%	108-110	W. Aus. 5%	98-99
N. Zeal'd 4	78-80	Do. 5%	103-104
Nigeria 5%	111-113	W. Aus. 4%	87-89

BANKS.

Anglo-Austrian	1¾-2	Lloyds	42/-44/-
Australasia	13¾-14	Midland	83/-84/-
Bank N.S.W.	42-44	Nat. Bks.	176½-178
Do. N.Z.	2¼-2½	Nat. Prov. (£4)	12¾-13¼
Barclays A	71½-73	Royal of Can.	195-197
Brit. Overseas	1¾-2	Stand. S.A.	13¾-14¾
Can. of Com.	44-46	Un. Australia	14⅞-15
Chart. of India	20¼-20½	Westminster	183½-185½
Hong Kong	128-129		

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—May 17.

100	Argentine 1886	99	101
70½	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	70	72
85	Do. 5 p.c. 1909	82	84
87	Do. 5 p.c. 1886	85	87
77½	Do. Funding, 1900	75	77
77½	Do. 5 p.c. 1914	75	77
67	Chinese 4 p.c. 1896	65	67
78	Do. 5 p.c. 1898	76	78
61	Do. 5 p.c. 1913	61	63
10½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	102	104
25¼	Egyptian Unified	25¼	25⅝*
10½	Do. 5 p.c.	10½	11¼*
87⅛	French 5 p.c.	87⅛	9⅛*
11	Do. 4 p.c.	10¾	11
102	Do. 3 p.c.	101	103
80	Greek Loan	80	81
14⅜	Italian Rentes	14	16
44	Japan 4 p.c. 1899	44	46
93½	Do. 6 p.c. 1924	94½	95½
48	Mexican 5 p.c. '99	40	50
9¾	Do. 5 p.c. 1910-13	9¾	10¼
5¾	Peruvian Corporation	5	5¾
4⅛	Do. Pref.	42½	43½ + ½
10⅞	Do. Def.	10⅞*	11¼
23	Portuguese 3 p.c.	23	24
5	Spanish 4 p.c.	4¾	5
15¾	Turkish Unified	15¼	15⅝ + ⅛
24¾	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	24	25

BRITISH RAILS.

80¾	Great Western	77	78
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	84	87
75	Lon., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	74	75
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	74	76
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Def.	67	69
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	72	75
99⅜	Lon. North'n Pref. & Def.	97	98
—	Pref. Ord.	97	98
19	Do. Def. Ord.	18½	19
—	Do. 5 p.c. 1st Pref.	71	73
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	62	65
69¾	Metropolitan	54½	55½ - ¼
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	84	86
82	Do. District	82½	83½
76¾	Southern Pref. Ord.	76½	79¾ + ¼
34½	Do. Def. "A"	34	34½
42	Do. "A"	41	42 - ¼
10½	Do. "B"	10½	10⅝
18	Underground Electrics	17½	18⅛
86½	Do. Income Bonds	85	100*
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	102	104

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

88¼	Antofagasta	86¾	88½
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	78	80
—	Bahia Blanca	79	81
—	Brazil Railway Common	1¾	2
91	Buenos Ayres Great S.	90	92
81	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	81	82
80	Buenos Ayres & W.	79½	81½
162	Canadian Pacific	160	162
70	Central Argentine	69½	71¼
77	Central Uruguay	76½	78½
19½	Cordoba Central	19	20
77	Do. 1st Pref.	76	78
48	Do. 2nd Pref.	46	48
88	Entre Rios	84½	86¼
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	94	96
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	87	89
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Pref.	77	79
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	70	73
36½	Lacquelina	36	38
5¾	Mexican Rail.	5	6
18	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	17	19
15	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	14	16
174½	San Paulo	172½	174½
18	United Havana	20½	22¾*

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	138	138 + ½
—	Baltimore	89	91 + 1
—	Chesapeake	126	127 + 1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	104	105½ + ½
32	Erie	32	34
—	Do. 1st Pref.	38	41 + 1
—	New York Central	98	99 - ½
112½	Southern Common	112	114 + 1
—	Do. Pref.	91	93 - 2
—	Southern Pacific	104	105
153½	Union Pacific	151¼	153¼ + ½

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

17/6	Allsopp £1 Shares	15/-	18/-
60½	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	60	62
—	Barc. Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	82	87
67/6	Do. Ord.	2/6	5/-
81½	Distillers Ord.	81/6	87/6 + 9/6
7/0	Guinness	7/30	7/60
—	Do. Pref.	116	121
21/8	Peter Walker Ord.	20/-	21/-
48/6	South African Breweries	39½	42½
21/6	Walker (Hedw.) Pref.	1	1½*
22¾	Watney Combe Def.	220¾	242½

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

20/3	Aerated Bread	19/-	19/-
2/6	Cadbury Ord.	2/-	2/-
3/0	Cause and Blackwell	2/9	3/0
11/6	Clipton	12/0	12/6 - 0/6
2/7½	Farrell and Christmas	2/-	3/-
3/3	Lyons (J.)	3/-	3/-
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	22/6	23/6
8/7½	Rowntree	8/-	8/-
—	Smithfield Agr., Meat	6/1½	6/4½
1⅞	Spratt's Patent	1¾	1⅞
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	18½	19½
1¾	Van Den Berghs	1½	1⅝ - ⅛
—	Do. Pref.	4½	5

IRON AND STEEL.

8/9	Armstrong (W. G.)	8/6	9/0
6/3	Beardmore (The)	6/-	6/3 - 0/3
2/9	Dorman Long	2/9	3/0
13/0	John Brown	12/6	13/6
7/0	Do. (15/- paid)	7/-	7/6
11/0	Peases and Partners	11/0	12/0
2/9	South Durham Steel	2/6	2/9
20/6	Stewens	20/-	21/6 - 1/0
5/6	United Steel	5/6	6/0
7/9	Vickers Ord.	7/7½	8/1½ - 0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

30/0	Argentine Land Invest.	15/-	18/-
25/0	Do. Southern Land	17/-	18/-
9/0	B.A.S. Land	8/-	9/-
25/6	Forestal Land	25/6	26/6
4⅞	Hudson's Bay Ord.	4⅞	5
7/3	Kenya Syndicate	7/-	7/6
25/0	Rio Negro Lands	24/-	27/6
4½	Sudan Plantations	4½	4¾

NEWSPAPERS.

6/3	Assd. Newspapers Def.	6/7	7/-
4/-	Allied News Ord.	1½	1½ - ⅛
9/6	Daily Mirror Ord.	9/3	9/6
6/3	Illustrated Pictorial Ord.	5/9	6/3

NITRATES.

11½	Alianza	10	11 - ½
31/0	Lagunas Nitrate	16/0	16/6*
4¾	Lautaro Nitrate	4¾	4⅞ + ⅛
2¾	Liverpool Nitrate	2½	2¾
3⅛	London Nitrate	3⅛	3¼
22/6	Rosario Nitrate	22/6	24/0
11¾	Tarapaca Bolivia	11¾	12¼
10/6	Tarapaca Nitrate	9/7	10/3 + 0/3

OILS.

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3⅛	Anglo-American	3	3⅛
1⅞	Anglo-Brazilian	1⅞	2
1⅞	Anglo-Mexican	1⅞	2
29/6	Anglo-Persian	29/-	29/6
2⅛	Anglo-Persian 6 p.c.	20/7½	20/10 + 0/1½
23/6	Do. Ord. (Issued)	23/1½	23/4½
6⅝	Do. 5 p.c. Def.	6⅝	6⅝
—	Do. 6 p.c. Def.	6⅝	6⅝
3⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅞	3⅛
1⅛	Asiatic	1	1⅛
11/0	Bolt Burma Pat. (10s.)	11/0	11/6 - 0/7½
7/3	British Burmah (6/-)	7/-	7/6
2/7½	British Controller	2/6	2/9
107⅜	Do. Pref.	107⅜	107⅝ + 0/1½
7/6	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	7/6	7/9
17/6	Caltex	17/6	18/-
1⅞	Eagle Transport	1⅞	2
1⅝	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	1⅝	1⅝
1⅛	Lobito	1	1⅛
149	Kern River (10s.)	148	149
1⅛	Lobito	1	1⅛
1⅛	Lobito	1	1⅛
17/3	Mexican Eagle	17/-	17/6
1⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. 7 p.c. 2nd Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	North Caucasus (10/-)	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Ocean (£1 ch. pd.)	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Orconera	1⅛	1⅛
107⅜	Pearl Deferred	107⅜	107⅝ + 0/1½
1⅛	Do. Preferred	1⅛	1⅛
24/6	Royal Dutch	24/-	24/6
1⅛	Do. Trust	1⅛	1⅛
6⅝	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	6⅝	6⅝
24/6	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	24/6	25/-
1⅛	Shell	1⅛	1⅛
93/9	Shell Transport	92/6	93/9
1⅛	Do. Def.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. Trust	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. Warrants	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Spies Petroleum	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Tampico Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Trinidad Leaseholds	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
7/6	United Int. Trinidad	7/-	7/6
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	V.O.C. Holdings	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛

RUBBERS.

3/7½	Amal. Rubber Est.	3/6½	
3/7½	Anglo-Dutch	3/7½	+ 0/1½
8/1½	Anglo-Java	7/9*	- 0/3½
1⅛	Anglo-Malay	1⅛	- ⅛
1⅛	Bakap	1⅛	
6/1½	Bukit Mertajam	6/3	
1⅛	Bukit Sembawang	2/3	+ 0/3½
1⅛	Bukit Sri	1⅛	+ 0/7½
1⅛	Damansara	2/3	
2⅞	Grand Central	2/-	- 0/7½
1⅛	Highlands	1⅛	+ 1/1½
1⅛	Jugra Land	3/9	+ 0/3
1⅛	Kamunting	2/-	+ 0/1½
1⅛	Kedah	1⅛	+ 0/3
1⅛	Kuala Lumpur	1⅛	
1⅛	Kuala Selis	1⅛	
1⅛	Lanadron	1⅛	
1⅛	Linggi	1⅛	- 1/4
7/9	London Asiatic	7/6*	+ 0/1½
1⅛	Lower Perak	1⅛	
1⅛	Malaysian	1⅛	
1⅛	Merlimau	1⅛	+ 0/1½
1⅛	Pataling Valley	1⅛	
1⅛	Rubber Trust	1⅛	- 0/1½
1⅛	Sialkat Est. & Trust	1⅛	
1⅛	Sialkat Sel. & Kedah	1⅛	
1⅛	Sungei Way	1⅛	
1⅛	Tandjong Malim	1⅛	
1⅛	Tanjong Rambutan	1⅛	
1⅛	Tanjong Tualang	1⅛	
1⅛	Tekka Syndicate	1⅛	
1⅛	Tekkalu Rubber	1⅛	
1⅛	United Sedang	1⅛	
1⅛	Valambong	1⅛	
21/6	Vallambrosa	20/3	- 0/1½
Abaco		21/7½	
Allegan		0/4½	
Allied Sum		2½	
Ampat		0/7½	
Anglo-Sum		2/3	
Anahaw		2/6	
Bahau		40/3½	+ 0/3½
Bata Est		61

DUBLIN HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND.

LIST OF COLLECTIONS AND DONATIONS, 1925.

[The Secretaries request that if any errors or omissions are found in the following list by any Clergyman or Subscriber to the Fund he will kindly communicate with them on the subject.]

CHURCH OF IRELAND.
DIOCESE OF DUBLIN.

	£	s	d
St. Patrick's Cathedral	108	0	0
Christ Church Cathedral	13	0	0
St. Andrew's	20	0	0
St. Ann's	7	0	0
St. Audoen's	31	10	0
St. Bartholomew's	2	10	0
St. Barnabas's	9	0	0
St. Catherine's and St. Victor's	7	12	10
St. George's, St. Alden's, St. Augustine's, and Free Church	32	0	0
St. George's Young People's Social Club	3	10	0
St. James's	6	2	3
St. John the Evangelist, Sandymount	8	0	0
St. Jude's	10	0	0
St. Kevin's	5	7	0
St. Luke's	9	0	0
St. Mark's			
St. Mary's and St. Mary's Chapel of Ease	2	2	0
St. Mary's, Donnybrook	52	0	0
St. Matthew's, Irishtown	14	3	0
Rotunda Chapel	15	0	0
St. Matthias's	1	0	0
Mission to the Deaf and Dumb of Ireland, Dublin District	1	0	0
St. Michan's and St. Paul's	16	4	4
St. Michael's	22	0	0
St. Peter's	9	0	0
St. Phillip's	3	0	0
St. Stephen's	4	0	0
St. Thomas's			
St. Werburgh's	109	12	5
Christ Church Lesson Park, and St. Columba's, Ranelagh			
Female Orphan House, North Circular road	5	11	5
Grangegorman, All Saints'	36	7	0
Harold's Cross Church, Lesson St.	45	13	11
Magdalen Asylum Church, Upper Rathmines	10	10	0
Mageragh Church, Upper Rathmines	3	3	3
The King's Hospital, Blackhall Place	9	9	3
Mission Church, Peter street	2	10	0
Molyneux Church, Townsend street	22	2	0
Rathmines, Trinity Church	27	17	7
Sandford Church	4	7	8
Trinity College Chapel	43	4	8
Zion Church, Rathgar	40	0	0
All Saints', Newtown Park, Blackrock	9	0	0
Booterstown, St. George's	5	0	0
Balrothery and Balscadden	42	15	3
Booterstown	16	16	3
Bray, St. Paul's Church and St. Paul's, Church, Cripken	8	10	0
Bray, St. James's, Christ Church	28	0	0
Carysfort, Christ Church, and Mulhuddart	3	0	0
Castleknock and Mulhuddart	2	0	0
Chapelizod	1	0	0
Clondalkin	4	4	0
Clonmethan and Naul	3	10	0
Clonsilla	1	0	0
Clontarf	23	12	0
Crumlin, St. Patrick's	6	0	0
Dalkey, St. Patrick's	5	0	0
Donabate and Portrane	4	15	0
Drumcondra and North Strand	9	0	0
Finglas	46	0	0
Glasnevin, Sandy and Coolock	12	0	0
Glenageary, St. Paul's	12	0	0
Hempstrick, Skerries	3	0	0
Howth	15	0	0
Kilgobbin, Monkstown	22	12	0
Killiney, Holy Trinity Church	28	0	0
Killiney	22	13	6
Killerman	35	0	0
Kingstown, Christ Church	14	13	6
Kingstown, Mariners' Church	1	10	0
Lucan, Kenure			
Malahide, Portmarnock, and St. Dolough's	20	0	0
Monkstown, St. John's	37	5	0
Monkstown, St. John's	3	6	8
Newcastle, Lyons	6	17	10
Raheny	2	9	1
Rathcoole and Tassagard	84	15	1
Rathfarnham	88	10	0
Saggart, Rathchisel	1	10	6
St Columba's College	17	3	11
Stillorgan	37	17	0
Taney and Kilsallaghan	5	13	0
Tallaght			
Taney (Dundrum), Christ Church, and St. Thomas's, Old Church	61	10	0
Whitechurch	15	0	0
Yellow	20	10	0

DIOCESE OF GLENDALOUGH.

Arklow	14	0	0
Athy (St. Michael's) and Kilberry	10	0	0
Ballinaclash	11	6	6
Ballymore-Eustace and Hollywood	11	2	6
Blessington and Kilbride	3	2	6
Calary	15	3	2
Castledermot and Kinneagh	26	0	0
Celbridge			
Delgany	4	11	11
Donoughmore and Donard	35	2	6
Dunganstown and Redcross	3	0	0
Dunlavin	32	8	6
Glenealy	6	15	0
Greystones	17	8	0
Inch			
Kilbride, Bray	9	1	6
Kilkea (Duke of Leinster's Private Church)	19	0	0
Kilkenny, Nun's Cross	3	3	0
Killiskey	7	10	0
Lehtlin	14	17	3
Lucan	4	15	0
Maynooth and Kilcock	11	5	0
Narraghmore and Fontstown	10	15	0
Powerscourt	8	11	3
Rathdrum			
Wicklow			

DIOCESE OF KILDARE.

Ballycommon and Kilmoroney	13	7	0
Carbery	10	0	0
Carnalway and Kilcullen	14	15	7
Clane, St. Michael's and Donadea	11	7	4
Coolbanagher	9	11	5
Edenderry, Ballybrittery and Primott	4	0	0
Feighcullen and Kilmeage	3	13	8
Geashill and Killeagh	5	14	0
Kildare, St. Brigid's Cathedral	17	0	0
Kill and Rathmore	18	12	6
Leix, Rathdaire and Deerpark	7	17	0
Monasterevan, St. John's and Nurney	8	0	0
Mountmellick and Rosenallis	17	6	0
Naas (St. David's) and Killashee			
Portarlington, St. Paul's, Ballykean and Cloneyburke	15	0	0

DIOCESE OF MEATH.

Athlone, St. Peter's	4	0	0
Athlone, St. Mary's	6	12	1
Ardbracken and Kildalkey	3	1	3
Athboy and Castlelost	3	3	9
Ballyboy and Mount Temple, Moydrum	7	17	2
Ballymahon, Killoe and Shrule	3	0	0
Castlejordan, Enniscoffy and Moyliscar	3	8	0
Castlepollard, Rathgraffe, Mayne and Loynan	10	0	4
Clonard, Ballivor and Castlerichard (St. Nicholas)	4	6	0
Clara	11	8	0
Clonfadforan, Castletown	3	10	0
Collinstown	10	5	0
Crossakiel and Clonmellon	3	6	8
Delvin (St. Mary's) and Kilshine	36	0	0
Donaghpatrick and Rubber	4	10	5
Drakestown and Siddan	3	5	7
Drumconrath and Martinstown	17	5	11
Drumree	7	13	1
Duleek, St. Kiernan's	5	0	0
Dunboyne, St. Peter's	5	0	0
Dunsaughlin and Ballymagiasson	5	7	6
Enniskeen	8	4	0
Forgney	3	0	0
Julianstown and Bailrathbury	3	2	6
Kells, Balrathboyne and Balrathbury	3	3	0
Kentstown	13	3	0
Kilbixy and Killeagh	1	0	0
Killoughy	1	8	0
Kilmainham and Kinnegrad	4	2	0
Killucan and Rathwire	3	0	0
Kilmessan	4	0	0
Laracor, Galtrim and Summerhill	12	6	4
Leney and Killeagh	6	11	4
Longford and Killeagh	5	0	0
Moyglare	6	14	6
Navan	5	10	0
Newtown-Fertullagh	3	6	8
Oldcastle and Mount Nugent	4	17	6
Payneston and Stackallen	2	8	2
Rathcore, Holy Trinity	6	2	5
Rathconnell	3	0	0
Rathcore, St. Ultan's and Agher	7	0	0
Rathmolyon	1	10	0
Rynagh-Banagher	23	6	0
St. Mary's, Prorbrede, and Colpe	5	0	0
Skryne and Tara	14	3	3
Slane	4	10	0
Stamullen, Portbane and Shannonbridge	9	7	10
Trim			
Tullamore and Lemalin	11	13	6

DIOCESE OF LEIGHLIN.

Abbeyleix, Ballyroan, and Ballinakill	6	0	0
Arhade and Ardoyne	1	5	0
Baganstown			
Ballinkillen	3	9	6
Ballon	17	0	0
Ballynore	9	3	0
Carlow and Painestown	3	14	6
Clonmagh, Mountrath, and Rosleelion	3	0	0
Hacketstown	2	10	0
Killabban, Castletown and Mayo	3	0	0
Leighlin, Carlow	3	0	0
Killegan	4	7	7
Kiltennell and Clonegoose	12	0	0
Lorum, Bagenalstown and Dysart-Enos	2	5	7
Meryborough and Clonmeish	4	11	9
Nurney and Clonmeish	13	0	0
Rathvilly	17	8	0
Urglin and Staplestown			
Stradbally, Ballintubber, and Coreclone	9	1	6
Stratford-on-Slaney	1	12	9

DIOCESE OF OSSORY.

Kilmoranny and Ballaghtobin	1	10	3
Kilfane	4	13	4
Odagh and Saltersgrott	2	1	0
Rathdowney, Castle-fleming, Rathsaran, and Donaghmore	4	3	8

DIOCESE OF FERNS.

Enniscorthy (St. Mary's), Clone, and Clonmore	13	0	0
Killanne	4	12	6
Shillelagh	11	11	6
Templeshanbo			
Templetown			
Tintern			
Wexford			

DIOCESE OF ARMAGH.

Drogheda and Ballymakenny	6	17	6
Tullyallen	4	8	6

DIOCESE OF ARDAGH.

Shrule, Ballymahon	1	1	0
Taghmy	1	6	0

DIOCESE OF KILLALOE.

Lorrha, Dorrha and Terryglass	5	2	10

DIOCESE OF CONFERT.

Ahascragh	10	10	0

DIOCESE OF CLOGHER.

Ardagh, Chapel of Ease	1	0	0

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
(In Connection with the General Assembly).

Adelaide Road	150	0	0
Bray	20	0	0
Blackrock	30	10	0
Clontarf	10	0	0
Donore, South Circular road	16	0	0
Howth and Malahide	7	0	0
Greystones	20	0	0
Kingstown	7	7	0
Lucan and Chapelizod	2	12	0
Naas	17	15	0
Ormond Quay	97	3	0
Rathgar, Christ Church	37	0	0
Abbey street and Rutland square	40	0	0
Sandymount	4	0	0

UNITED FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

Abbey street	15	13	4

METHODIST CHURCH.

Abbey street, Lower	8	6	10
Blackhall place	2	10	0
Bray	6	0	0
Blackrock	5	0	0
Centenary Chapel, Stephen's Green	87	2	8
Donlifie	1	13	9
Dontarf	8	8	0
Balkey	4	4	0
Dolphin's Barn	1	10	0
Inchicore	12	0	0
Kingstown	13	0	0
Kingsland Park	24	7	6
Baltimore, Charleston Road			
Rathgar, Brighton road	40	0	0
Ringsend	2	0	0
Sandymount	14	0	0
Sutton	3	10	0

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

Bray	4	5	6
Churchtown	3	11	0
Edenderry	2	12	0
Enniscorthy	1	10	0
Eustace street, Dublin	57	4	0
Monkstown	68	17	0
Rathmines	14	15	0
Wexford	1	10	0

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Kingstown	2	2	0
York street	3	0	0

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Stephen's Green	19	9	0

CHURCH OF THE UNITED BRETHREN, OR MORAVIANS.

Bishop street	47	14	7

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Harcourt street	10	3	6
Philibsborough	3	13	6

THE DUBLIN HEBREW CONGREGATION.

Adelaide road	59	12	6

WELSH CHURCH.

Talbot street	2	2	0

GOSPEL HALLS.

Blackrock, Sydney Gospel Hall	5	4	6
Howth Gospel Hall	12	12	10
Merrion Hall, Lower Merrion street	48	2	3
City of Dublin Young Men's Christian Association, 12, Abbey street	8	12	10

MISCELLANEOUS.

Leinster Branch the Irish Rugby Football Union	252	0	0
Delgany Golf Club	0	12	5
Greystones Golf Club	7	17	6
Island Golf Club	0	13	0
Kingstown Golf Club	0	5	0
Killiney Golf Club	0	14	0
Malahide Golf Club	1	17	1
Milltown Golf Club	1	6	11
Portmarnock Golf Club	1	16	6
Rathfarnham Golf Club	77	6	3
The Comedy Players			
AMOUNT RECEIVED TOO LATE TO BE INCLUDED IN 1924.	3	16	6
Tessaran	0	14	0
Shannon Bridge	2	3	3
Fertuise			

Total Collection	£4,195	2	11
SPECIAL DONATIONS NOT CONTRIBUTED THROUGH CHURCHES.			
Executors of the late Countess of Meath	100	0	0
"R.F." Memorance Day	10	0	0
Brigadier-General Lord Acton, C.B.	10	0	0
Lieut.-Col. Sir Hutcheson Poe	10	0	0
E. G. Woods, Esq.	10	0	0
Alexander Carroll, Esq.	10	0	0
Henry G. Courtney, Esq.	10	0	0
Lords Longford and De Vesci	5	0	0
Miss Ellen Fitzgibbon	5	0	0
H. Scully, Esq.	5	0	0
Hem Bland, Esq.	5	0	0
C.F.	5	0	0
Brunswick and Nolan, Ltd.	5	0	0
George Jameson, Esq.	5	0	0
Mrs. Trnell	3	0	0
R. W. Shaw, Esq.	2	2	0
Harry Franks, Esq.	2	1	8
T. Bell, Esq.	2	0	0
T. S. Lester, Esq.	2	0	0
Col. G. A. Hurbes	2	0	0
A. T. Marsh, Esq.	1	10	0
Mrs. Anita Pilgrabrick	1	1	0
Anonymous	1	0	0
T.	1	0	0
Miss Marion Holmes	1	0	0
Miss Mattie Good	1	0	0
W. H. Elliott, Esq.	1	0	0
W. C. Coppinger, Esq.	1	0	0
W. G. Deverell, Esq.	1	0	0
"Olivia	1	0	0
Miss Butler	0	7	6
Anonymous			
Special Donations	£326	6	2
Church Collections	4,195	2	11
Total	£4,521	9	1

H. S. GUINNESS, Esq.,
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J. F. STOKES, Esq.,
A. HEWSON, Asst. Sec., 22 William street. } Hon. Secretaries.

£50,000 AND BUSINESS PREMISES.

CAVAN WOMAN'S BEQUESTS TO MANAGER.

Miss Elizabeth Toomey, draper, Ballyconnell, has died, leaving her entire business premises and £50,000 to her manager, Mr. Bernard Rudden, who was in her employment for twenty-five years. Deceased woman was aged 75.

OBJECTION TO SCHOOLS AMALGAMATION.

POSITION OF TEACHERS.

At the annual meeting of the Leinster Provincial Council of the Roman Catholic Clerical Managers' Association, held in Dublin on last Thursday, the following resolutions were passed unanimously:—

(1) "That the amalgamation of schools is objectionable, and ought not to be proceeded with till we have had some actual experience of what will be the result of the new compulsory Act on the attendances of the children."

(2) "That in case any teachers, whether trained or untrained, are deprived of their present positions in consequence of the adoption of the policy of amalgamation, they should be paid their full salaries till suitable appointments have been found for them in other schools."

(3) "That this Council is totally opposed to any plan of setting up local committees, and of raising local rates for the purpose of the heating and maintenance of our national schools; the Council is of opinion that the vast majority of our schools are at present as efficiently equipped as the economic resources of the various districts will allow, but the Council suggests that, if in any case a school is found not to be sufficiently maintained, a report on the subject should be made to the Bishop by the Department of Education."

THE NEW RENTS BILL.

HOUSE-OWNERS' SUGGESTIONS.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Irish House-owners' Association was held at Mr. C. R. Dunbar, who presided, said that they were called together to consider, as far as they could, how the Government proposed to progress with the Rents Bill under their consideration, and in which they were all so much interested. They had prepared a certain number of amendments and presented a statement of their views to the Government, setting forth what they considered should be done. They had had an interview with the Minister and were also associated with delegates from Cork.

In the report submitted by the Secretary it was stated that eight years had passed since the termination of the war, and all other commodities had been decontrolled except house property. In the present state of economic development in this country it was not possible to consider any comprehensive scheme of house purchase, and, therefore, the main objective of any Government should be the provision of houses to let. It was common knowledge that when a house becomes vacant at present the owner immediately proceeds to sell it and invest in foreign securities. They contended that the Rent Restriction Act should be abolished in justice to vested interests. They held that the period of control in the contemplated Bill should not exceed two years from June, 1926.

It was submitted that the limitation in respect of the order for possession should be abolished. The condition in Section 4, which allows the Court to stay the order in ejectment and direct the payment of rent in arrear by instalment, has been badly abused. It should be expressly provided that where the tenant, retaining possession under the Act, assigns or sub-lets his tenancy, such assigning or sub-letting shall constitute a forfeiture and entitle the landlord to possession. It should be expressly provided that where the premises had changed in character after 1914, the first rent or rents paid should be deemed the standard rent. The total increases on the standard rent were absolutely inadequate, considering the increased cost of labour and materials since 1914. As to the question of notice to quit, they strongly recommended that the landlord should be enabled to recover, for a period of three years at least, the money that he has been compelled to repay to the tenants.

The report set out in detail matters in the present Act which require amendment and additional suggestions. The Association held that the occupier of premises should be held liable for the sanitary condition, and they recommended that an express provision be included in the new Act limiting the transmission of the tenancy upon the death of the tenant to the widow or widower.

After a general criticism of the details of the measure, and of the sixteen amendments that had been put forward, a resolution was unanimously adopted, on the motion of Mr. Pemberton, seconded by Mr. O'Farrell, protesting against "any further renewal of the Rent Restrictions Act, as the time has come when an owner should have the right to control his own property."

It was agreed that copies of the resolution be sent to the Minister and to President Cosgrave.

SCOTTISH HERRING CRISIS.

The attempt to enforce the herring close time in Scotland has broken down. The Herring Curers' Association states that this has been brought about by the refusal of one Hamburg importer and a small body of Lerwick curers to agree while freedom of action is open. Continental markets have indicated a desire not to buy herrings hard cured before June 14 next.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

WHIT SUNDAY.

St. Patrick's Cathedral—8, Holy Communion; 10.15, Matins. Note—Offerings for the Choir Fund. Te Deum, the Preparation of the Organ Concert in D, Ambrosian; Psalms, Chanting of the Psalms; Lessons, Rev. F. G. Hamilton; Anthem, "O come, Holy Ghost"; Preacher, the Missionary Curate; Offertory, Anthem, "Hymn during Communion"; Hymns during the Communion of the Sick, 157, 159, 161, 163; Hymn before Sermon, 164; Hymn after Sermon, 165; Hymn during Procession, 166; Hymn during Communion, 167, 168, 169; Hymn after Communion, 170; Hymn before Benediction, 171; Hymn, 140. Te Deum, Benedictus Harrison; Psalms, 144, 145, 146; Anthem, "God is a Spirit," Bennett; Hymns, 142, 143; Introit, "God is a Spirit," Bennett; Offertory, Anthem, "Hymn during Communion"; Hymns, 252, 254, 11.40, Holy Communion; Preacher, the Bishop of Cork. 3, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. Percival Hart. 6.30, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. Harwood Hall. Psalms, 104, 105. Magnificat, Jude; Nunc Dimittis, Goss. Anthem, "The Wilderness," Goss. Hymns 143, 144, 145. Processional 24. Recessional 27.

Royal Hospital, Kilmainham—8, Holy Communion. Christ Church Cathedral, 11, Matins. Procession: Hymn 171. Venite, 140. Te Deum, Benedictus Harrison; Psalms, 144, 145, 146. Introit, "God is a Spirit," Bennett. Offertory, Anthem, "Hymn during Communion"; Hymns, 252, 254, 11.40, Holy Communion; Preacher, the Bishop of Cork. 3, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. Percival Hart. 6.30, Evensong; Preacher, Rev. Harwood Hall. Psalms, 104, 105. Magnificat, Jude; Nunc Dimittis, Goss. Anthem, "The Wilderness," Goss. Hymns 143, 144, 145. Processional 24. Recessional 27.

Royal Hospital, Kilmainham—8, Holy Communion. 11, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion. Preacher, Rev. F. G. Hamilton.

Trinity College—8, Holy Communion. 10, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. Lee Cole. 7, Rev. W. F. Carmody. 8, Holy Communion. Preacher, Rev. Robert J. Elliott. Service to be sung by the Choir. Organ Voluntaries: Before the Service, Andante in A, Wesley; Before the Sermon, Andante in A, "Spirit of mercy, truth and love," Wesley; After the Service, Andante in A, Wesley. Hymns: Before the Sermon, 11.30, Holy Spirit, truth and love; 11.40, Holy Ghost, dispel our sadness; 11.50, Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire. Anthem, "The Church's one foundation," Rev. Dr. Warden. At 7.30, "Magnificat," Rev. Dr. Warden; "Nunc Dimittis," Rev. Dr. Warden

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

SALE TUESDAY, 1ST JUNE.

No. 11 VESEY PLACE, MONKSTOWN.

(CLEAR POSSESSION.)

Well-built Semi-detached Dwellinghouse, overlooking De Vesci Gardens, and having views of sea at North. Contains 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, with hot and cold water; servant's room, etc. Held for 99 years from 1st May, 1849, subject to the adjusted rent of £7 6/6 per annum. Immediate possession. Let on lease and assign all impositions whatever, quit rent and Crown rent excepted. A well-situated, soundly built house. Garden at rear and rear entrance. Open daily, 10 to 4.

JOHN WHITE, Solicitor, 15 College Green

EXECUTORS' SALE.—26 WATERLOO ROAD.

Soundly built Semi-detached House, with possession. On the best part of the road, with rented enclosure in front. Accommodation consists of study, large diningroom, spacious drawingroom, five returns, bedrooms, bathroom and cold supply; washhand basin, two w.c.'s; kitchen, two servants' rooms, pantries, wine cellar, box room; side entrance and rear entrance; outside w.c.; plate glass windows in front; garden and stable. The stable is let to a weekly tenant at 4/- per week.

Messrs. PORTER, MORRIS and CO., Solicitors, 8 Clare street.

OWENSTOWN, FOSTER AVENUE, ROEBUCK,

WITH 20A. 2R. 30P.,

Of which the Dwellinghouse, garden, pleasure grounds and 11a. Or. 21p. are held from the Pembroke Estate for 99 years from the 25th March, 1903, subject to the rent of £80 per annum, and 9s. 3r. 9p., Dublin County Council, under provisions of Irish Land Act of 1923, subject to a payment in lieu of rent of £32 11/6 per annum.

The Residence is an attractively situated one, and contains drawingroom, two diningrooms, study, small room, pantry and w.c. on Ground Floor. On the Upper Floor there are six bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom, with hot and cold water and w.c. In the Basement there are three servants' rooms, servants' hall, kitchen and scullery. The approach is by gate lodge and avenue, and the situation is in every way desirable. The house has been recently wigged down.

Held from the Earl of Pembroke for 99 years from 25th March, 1836, subject to £25 2.9. adjusted, per annum, and under a reversionary lease for 70 years from 25th March, 1935, at £2 per annum, and also subject to a rent of £2 per annum until 1935. Possession to purchaser. The Stable is Let to a quarterly tenant at £50 per annum.

Messrs. WHITNEY, MOORE and KELLER, Solicitors, 46 Kildare street.

SALE TUESDAY, 15TH JUNE.

THE DUBLIN ELECTRIC THEATRES, LTD.,

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

CINEMA THEATRE AND VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES.

The Dublin Electric Theatre, No. 45 Talbot street, with seating accommodation for about 600 people, in full working order, and provided with emergency exit; absolute sanitary accommodation and necessary equipment. The Theatre is situated in one of the busiest thoroughfares of the City, adjacent to the railway terminus of the Great Northern Railway, and on the electric tram line. The neighbourhood is thickly populated, and the Theatre enjoys extensive patronage. It is fully equipped, and possession will be given. The Theatre is held, with 44 Talbot street, for 50 years from 1911, subject to the annual rent of £351 per annum.

No. 44 TALBOT STREET is an excellent Business Premises, having a frontage to Talbot street of about 25 feet. It is let on lease for 16 years from 1st March, 1911, at the very low rent of £99 10s. per annum. The tenant's lease will expire next year, and a substantial increase in the rent should then be obtained.

No. 43 TALBOT STREET and very large Plot of Ground at rear of 39-43 Talbot street, are held for 99 years from 1919, subject to £200 per annum. No. 42 Talbot street is a Business Premises, having a frontage to Talbot street of about 24 feet. It is let for five years from April, 1926, at £260 per annum, tenant paying rates and taxes.

THE PLOT OF GROUND is in possession, and could be used in connection with the Theatre.

Full particulars and Conditions of Sale and Orders to View from

Messrs. FREDERICK CROSKERRY and SON, Solicitors, 30 Lower Ormond quay.

M. J. A. PURTILL, Liquidator, 16 College Green.

TANEY HOUSE, DUNDRUM.

RESIDENCE AND 31¼ ACRES, HELD CHIEFLY FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

Taney House is a well-built Residence, standing in a beautifully timbered park of 31¼ acres, held, except as to 3a. 1r. 14p., free of rent for ever. The accommodation consists of entrance porch, large hall, 3 sitting-rooms, billiard room, study, and offices on ground floor; 6 excellent bedrooms, two dressingrooms, bathroom, with hot and cold supply; wash-hand basin. There are servants' rooms, tiled kitchen, ample sanitary accommodation, laundry, dairy, etc. A special gas arrangement for heating and lighting is provided. There is a recently constructed greenhouse, and there are well arranged pleasure grounds, with lodge entrance and avenue. The Offices include four stall stable, two motor houses, box stall, tyings for 20 cows, hay shed, and other offices. Clear possession of the entire will be given.

Taney House occupies a choice residential position, within ten minutes' walk of Dundrum Railway Station. Charming views are commanded, and the place offers great attractions as a residence. The House and about 28 Statute Acres are held free of rent for ever, and 3a. 1r. 14p. are held for 99 years from 25th March, 1899, subject to £22 per annum.

ALFRED E. WALKER, Solicitor, 1 College street.

FURNITURE SALES.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 26TH MAY.

7 GREAT DENMARK STREET.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE, OLD CHINA, &c.

THE Premises having been disposed of, Messrs. JAMES H. NORTH and CO. have been instructed to SELL BY AUCTION by the Executors of the late Mrs. ELLIS, the FURNITURE and EFFECTS, including—Set of Antique Ladder-back Chairs, Antique Sideboard, on grooved legs and claw feet, shaped front; Set of twelve Antique Hepplewhite Chairs, Antique Bookcases, with diamond doors; Antique Dinner Wagon, Chippendale Wall Mirror, Gilt and other Overmantels, Card Tables, Pianette, by Boyd; Antique Oak and Mahogany Arm and other Chairs; Sofa Tables, Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, with shaped and grooved panels; Oil Paintings and Engravings, Antique Plate Bucket, large Turkey Carpet, Persian and other Rugs; Work Tables, Circular Mahogany Writing Table, with drawers; unusually large Service of Old Sheffield Plate, Dessert Service, Glassware; Suites of Cabinets, Coloured Screens, Carved Oak Blanket Chest, Gong and Stand, Console Tables, etc.; Mahogany Three-part Wardrobe, Duchesse Pairs, Cheval Glass, Antique Panel-door Wardrobe, Toilet Mirrors, Gent.'s Wardrobe, Stool Stands, Washstands, Mahogany Bedsteads, Bedding and usual Bedroom Furniture; Kitchen Furniture and Culinary Utensils.

On View day previous from 10 to 6 p.m.

SALE FRIDAY NEXT, 28TH MAY.

21 KIMMAGE ROAD.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

THE HOUSE HAVING BEEN SOLD, JAMES H. NORTH and CO. WILL SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, including—

Oak Cabinet, with lead figal doors, Oak Diningroom Suite of nine pieces, Chesterfield Settee, Oak and other Overmantels, Occasional Tables, Pictures and Ornaments, Regulator Clock, Cabinet Sewing Machine, Wicker Chairs, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Oak Hall Stand, etc.; Walnut Bedroom Suite, Oak Bedroom Suite, Inlaid Mahogany Bed and Spring, and other Bedsteads and usual Bedroom Furniture; Kitchen Dresser and Utensils; Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, etc.

On View day previous from 10 to 6 p.m.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

SALE THURSDAY, 10TH JUNE.

MYTILENE, AILESBURY ROAD.

The Residence having been Sold, the Furniture and Effects of this high-class Mansion House will be Sold on above date. Full particulars in future announcement.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

FAWCETT SEMI-PLASTIC BRICKMAKING PLANT.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in connection with the Marshall Brick Co. Limited, at the Marshall Brick Works, on Dundalk WEDNESDAY, the 26th inst., at 12.30 o'clock p.m.

The Plant was manufactured and supplied in 1920 by T. C. Fawcett, Ltd., of Leeds, and consists of Semi-Plastic Moulding Mill, Screw Conveyor, Double Brick Machine, Mixer, Self-feeding Screen, Another press of Brick-making Plant has been installed at the Marshall Brick Works.

For further particulars apply to

GARNET W. HOLT & CO., AUCTIONEERS, NEWRY.

LOWERTOWN, KILBEGGAN,

CO. WESTMEATH.

SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION of First Class Fattening Farm, containing 155 Statute Acres, with two-storey Slated Residence (annuity £6 8s. 0d.) on WEDNESDAY, the 26th MAY, 1926, at 12 o'clock (old time), if not previously disposed of, for James Watson, Esq.

Full particulars from A. and J. GOODBODY, Solicitors, Tullamore, Meade, and Dame street, Dublin; or to

JAMES MORRIS, Auctioneer and Valuer, TULLAMORE.

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BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

'PHONES—48 AND 49. ESTABLISHED 1815.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE,

MONDAY, MAY 31ST, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

25 CLARINDA PARK, W., DUN LAOGHAIRE.

THURSDAY, 3RD JUNE, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK.

AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET,

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

N.B.—Purchasers who may find it inconvenient to supply the full Purchase Money are invited to consult the Auctioneers prior to the day of the Sale; and, to facilitate intending Purchasers and Solicitors, Photographs of most of the Properties may be seen at their Offices, where also all further particulars and information may be obtained.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION:

B. & Co. 10 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK, 3RD JUNE

OPEN SITUATION. POSSESSION.

Choice modern House, good residential locality, containing 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom (h. and c.), kitchen, pantry; garden front and rear, etc. Held for 500 years at about £6 10/- per annum.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or COLLINS & SON, Solicitors, 19 Eustace street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. BEREA HOUSE, RATHFARNHAM. 3RD JUNE

DETACHED. ON GOLF LINKS. POSSESSION.

Attractive modern Non-basement House, situated close to the Golf Links, containing: Hall, drawing-room, diningroom, with marble mantelpieces, tiled fire-places; 4 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), kitchen, with close range; maid's room; nicely-planted front garden, rear do.; electric light throughout. Held for 999 years at £5 per annum.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or COLLIS & WARD, Solicitors, 13 Clare street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. "GLENSTAL," WESTMINSTER RD., FOXROCK. 3RD JUNE

ON 1 ACRE. DETACHED. POSSESSION.

An exceptionally well-built and designed Non-basement Residence, standing on 1 acre. Contains hall, with Mosaic tiled floor and gent.'s lavatory off same; drawingroom, with French windows to garden; morningroom, diningroom, with service floor, all fitted with walnut mantelpieces and tiled grates; 5 family bedrooms, bathroom and lavatory, h. and c., with lead floor; separate w.c., hot closet, with copper cylinder, housemaid's closet, h. and c.; principal staircase and secondary staircase, maid's room and boxroom, pantry, h. and c.; storerooms, china pantry, etc.; tiled kitchen, close range, scullery, h. and c.; coal house, trade entrance and w.c.; front garden and drive, tennis court, fruit and vegetable garden and motor garage. A lease of the Premises will be given to the purchaser for 200 years, subject to the yearly rent of £18. Convenient to station, racecourse and golf links.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or E. & G. STAPLETON, Solicitors, 31 Molesworth street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co "ADZAR," SEAPOINT AVENUE MONKSTOWN. 3RD JUNE

DETACHED. FINE SEA VIEWS. POSSESSION.

Beautifully situated, overlooking Dublin Bay, commanding fine marine views. The Residence is double-fronted, well built, and contains: 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, 4 pantries; bathroom; stabling and garage; garden front and rear. A large sum has been expended in putting the House in first-class order. The Premises are held for 99 years at £25 per annum.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS or THOMAS GERRARD & CO., Solicitors, 25 Westmoreland st.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. "GARRYOWEN," 20 PARNELL PLACE. 3RD JUNE

FREE OF RENT. POSSESSION.

Conveniently situated, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, yard, long garden, well stocked with fruit-trees, yard, fowl run rear. Seen any time. Free of rent for ever. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or VINCENT & BEATTY, Solicitors, 62 Dame street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. "TIVOLI," CASTLE AVENUE, CLONTARF. 3RD JUNE

CHARMING DETACHED RESIDENCE ON OVER AN ACRE. POSSESSION.

Situated in the best part of this healthful district, at the corner of Castle avenue and Strand road. Contains 3 sitting and 5 bedrooms, dressingroom, well appointed bathroom, 3 w.c.'s, tiled kitchen, laundry, fitted with porcelain tubs; larder, pantries, garage, stabling and hay loft, unique sunk fernery, conservatory, heavy stocked fruit trees, poultry house, new drainage, well-stocked fruit, flower and vegetable gardens, tennis lawn, shrubbery. All in good order. Ground rent, £15. Lease 150 years. Immediate possession to purchaser. Seen on our Order. Photo at auctioneers.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or WM. S. BARRETT, Solicitor, 16 South Frederick street.

BATTERSBY AND CO WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. 59 THOMAS STREET. 3RD JUNE

BUSINESS CORNER PREMISES. POSSESSION.

Situate best part of this busy ready-money centre, occupying a corner position, and consisting of large shop and rooms over; good-sized stores at rear, yard and stabling. Held for 47 years at £100 per annum. P.L.V., £60.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or COLLIS & WARD, Solicitors, 13 Clare street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. 2 NEW BRIGHTON, BRAY. 3RD JUNE

A WELL-BUILT HOUSE. POSSESSION.

Centrally placed in this favourite seaside resort, containing 3 sitting, 4 bedrooms, 2 very good kitchens, bathroom, etc.; large garage. Key next door (Mr. Ryan's). Held for a long lease at £3 18/- per annum. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or JAMES L. BURKE, Solicitor, 63 Upper O'Connell street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION

B. & Co. 73 AUNGIER STREET. 3RD JUNE

BUSINESS PREMISES. WITH POSSESSION.

Situated in very busy thoroughfare. Consists of large Shop, 4 rooms over, shed at rear. Held for a term of 100 years at £15 per annum. Seen any time. The upper part is Let at £122 per annum. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or JAMES L. BURKE, Solicitor, 63 Upper O'Connell street.

OUR SALES ON THE 17TH JUNE WILL INCLUDE—

187 PEARSE STREET, BUSINESS PREMISES.	Possession.
"WEST-END CAFE," PARKGATE.	Possession.
LARGE GARAGE, PARKGATE.	Possession.
"ALTMOR," FOXROCK.	Possession.
89 PEMBROKE ROAD.	Possession.
14 LOWER CAMDEN STREET.	Possession.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,

39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

COOLFADDA HOUSE, BANDON,

CHARMINGLY SITUATED RESIDENCE, WITH GARDENS,

PLEASURE GROUNDS, &C., AND ABOUT 27 ACRES OF LAND.

TO BE SOLD IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.

J. P. JEFFERS is favoured with instructions from Mrs. M. HODSON to SELL BY AUCTION, on TUESDAY, 8th JUNE, 1926, the very valuable interest in this exceptionally desirable Residential Property, situated on the outskirts of the Town of Bandon, within 20 miles of Cork City.

The Property will be offered in three separate Lots, and then, alternately, as one Lot.

LOT 1.—Coolfadda House, with lawns, gardens and pleasure grounds, containing about 13 acres (more or less), held in fee, subject to the proportion of annuity of £17.

The Residence enjoys a unique situation, standing on a terraced elevation, overlooking the Bandon River, with extensive and picturesque views of the adjoining Castle Bernard Park. The interior is commodious and well designed, and heated with radiators, and the accommodation includes 5 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, tiled kitchen, with sculleries, etc., bathroom (h. and c.), etc.

The Grounds are tastefully laid out, with shaded and terraced walks, tennis and croquet lawn, etc. There is about an acre of walled-in garden, well stocked, with useful Tomato Houses and a Gardener's Lodge.

The extensive Range of Out-offices includes stabling and loose boxes, harness room, coach-houses, stalls, lofted barns, garage, etc., with a Gate Lodge at Western entrance.

LOT 2.—The Grove Field, adjoining, containing about 9¼ acres (more or less), held in fee, subject to the proportion of annuity, £4, with very useful buildings, stables, barns, etc.

LOT 3.—The "River Field," adjoining, containing about 4¼ acres (more or less), held in fee, subject to the proportion of annuity, £2.

The Sale of this attractive Property, with Vacant Possession, is deserving of the attention of Investors or of those desiring a Residence enjoying an unique situation, standing in the centre of a district famous for its hunting, fishing, and shooting opportunities. The Premises are in excellent order, and the outgoings exceptionally low.

Sale on the Premises at 12 o'clock. Orders to View and further particulars from

Messrs. W. GLEST LANE and CO., Solicitors, Cork, having Carriage of Sale.

J. P. JEFFERS, AUCTIONEER AND PROPERTY SALESMAN, BANDON, SKIBBEREEN AND CORK.

ST. HUBERT'S, CO. FERMANAGH.

BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED, ON UPPER LOUGH ERNE, WITH 61 ACRES OF RICH, WELL TIMBERED DEMESNE LAND.

HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE, SUBJECT TO A SMALL TERMINABLE ANNUITY.

WILL BE SOLD BY PRIVATE TREATY.

If not disposed of on or before the 27th MAY, the ENTIRE WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on THE PREMISES, about the middle of June.

Immediate Possession can be given, with good title. A moderate price will be accepted, as Owners do not require the Property now.

The Mansion is very handsome, in splendid condition, containing upwards of 17 reception and bedrooms, servants' rooms and hall, kitchens, pantries and storerooms; two bathrooms, h. and c.; lavatories, etc.; the entire being fitted with electric light. The Yards and Out-offices are elaborate and extensive, in most perfect condition, and attached is a well-stocked Fruit and Vegetable Garden, with large conservatory; also well laid-out pleasure grounds, conservatories, etc.

Lough Erne, in its magnificent scenery, is noted as one of the finest yachting lakes in Europe.

For further particulars apply to

Messrs. MOORE, KEILY and LLOYD, Solicitors for the Vendors; or to

ROBERT W. WILSON.

AUCTIONEER, ENNISKILLEN.

St. Hubert's is within about five miles of Lisnaskea Railway Station, on Great Northern Railway, and twelve miles of Enniskillen, on same railway.

VALUABLE PRINTING BUSINESS, SHOP, PLANT, MACHINERY AND STOCK FOR SALE, AT NORTH ROAD, MONAGHAN.

WE have received instructions from MRS. DOOGAN, who is retiring from business, to SELL BY PROPOSAL AT OUR OFFICE IN MONAGHAN,

ON TUESDAY, 25TH MAY, AT 11.30 O'CLOCK

(unless previously disposed of), her Printing Business, Office and Shop, with a fully equipped, up-to-date Printing Plant, Gas Engine, Machines, Linotype Composite Fount of Type, Stock of Paper, and all the necessary appliances for carrying on the Printing Business. The Shop, in which a very fine Stationery, Book and Newspaper business has been conducted, is completely fitted for all the requirements of the trade, and not a penny of expenditure will be necessary. The Premises are held under lease at a yearly rent of £11 10s.

For further particulars, apply to MARTIN and M'COMB, Solicitors, Monaghan.

W. SWAN & SON, M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEERS, MONAGHAN.

WARRENPOINT.

SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF VALUABLE VILLA RESIDENCE,

"BEMERSYDE,"

On Sea View. Immediate Possession.

With TWO RENTED COTTAGES.

At OLD TOWN HALL, WARRENPOINT,

On FRIDAY, 28th MAY, 1926,

At the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

All that splendid Villa Residence, known as "BEMERSYDE," with Out-offices, garden, greenhouse, yard, garage, etc., with Two Cottages, facing back sea view (the property of the Vendor, Mr. John Haldane), situate at front sea view, Warrenpoint, held under fee farm grant, and commanding full view of Carlingford Lough.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, etc., apply to

FISHER and FISHER, Solicitors, Newry.

WILLIAM V. HOGG, Auctioneer and Valuer, NEWRY, and WARRENPOINT.

SALES BY C. J. RUSSELL, M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, ASHBOURNE.

ASHBOURNE LIVE STOCK SALE,

FRIDAY NEXT, MAY 28th, 1926.

Commencing at 1 o'clock (Summer Time).

Entry List Closes on Thursday morning before Sale.

C. J. RUSSELL, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, ASHBOURNE.

POSTPONEMENT NOTICE.

OWING to Monday Next being a Bank Holiday, GARRISTOWN SALE will be POSTPONED to MONDAY, MAY 31st, 1926.

C. J. RUSSELL, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer and Valuer, ASHBOURNE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF

FORTHCOMING AUCTIONS

TO BE HELD BY

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

ON TUESDAY, 1ST JUNE, 1926.

AT 3 ROSMEEN GARDENS, DUN LAOGHAIRE,

THE FURNITURE & OTHER HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.

ON WEDNESDAY, 9TH JUNE, 1926,

AT THE SALEROOMS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN,

THE IRISH PORTION OF THE LIBRARY OF

THE LATE DARRELL FIGGIS, ESQ.

ON TUESDAY, 15TH JUNE, 1926,

AT THE GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN,

A COLLECTION OF

ANTIQUE FURNITURE, OLD CHINA, & IRISH GLASS,

TOGETHER WITH

THE JEWELLERY, OLD SILVER, AND PLATED WARE,

THE PROPERTY OF

THE LATE EDWARD MARTYN, ESQ., OF TULIRA, CO. GALWAY.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE, WEDNESDAY, 26TH MAY.

ON THE PREMISES, AT 1 O'CLOCK,

23 IONA ROAD, GLASNEVIN.

An up-to-date modern, non-basement Semi-detached House, containing 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, 2 w.c.'s, tiled kitchen, garden, space for garage. Held rent £5. Lease 900 years.

JAMES O'CONNOR, Esq., Solicitor, 1 Dame street, Dublin.

A RESIDUE OF FURNITURE WILL BE SOLD IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SALE OF THE HOUSE.

WE are instructed to SELL A RESIDUE OF FURNITURE, including—Mahogany Dining Table, 6 Walnut-frame Dining Chairs, Couches and 2 Arm Chairs, Walnut and Gilt-frame Overmantels, Mahogany Enclosed Bookcase and Press under; Walnut Cabinet Sideboard, with mirror backs, Drawingroom Tables, Brussels Carpet, Stair Carpeting, Lino, Whatnot, Oak and Brass-mounted Iron Beds, Satin Walnut Mirror-door Wardrobe, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Dressing Table, Bamboo Hall Stand, Kitchen Table, Presses, Chairs and Utensils, Mangle, Meat Safe; Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, etc. On View on Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, JUNE 10TH.

KNOCKNACREE, KNOCKNACREE RD., DALKEY.

POSSESSION. FREE OF RENT FOR EVER. DETACHED.

A Detached House, in an ideal position, standing on about half an acre of ground, and commanding magnificent views of Dublin Bay and Kingstown Harbour. The House has been newly done up, is ready for immediate occupation, and is within six minutes' walk of the railway station. Accommodation—Two reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath (copper boiler), 3 w.c.'s. There is a summer house, with balcony, in the garden, and space for a garage. P.L. Valuation £30.

Messrs. DIX and SON, 23 Clare street, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

41 STH. GT. GEORGE'S STREET.

TOGETHER WITH THE UPPER PARTS OF NOS. 41 AND 42.

A large Shop, in a first class, ready-money business centre, newly fitted throughout, and having a costly and attractive arcade front. The upper portion is approached by a handsome staircase from shop, and contains very extensive accommodation. Lease 31 years. Rent £400 per annum.

Messrs. BENNETT THOMPSON and EDWARDS, Solicitors, Molesworth street.

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38 & 39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S ST., DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY, AND (IN CONTINUATION) ON TUESDAY NEXT

(OWING TO MONDAY BEING BANK HOLIDAY). ATTRACTIVE AND EXTENSIVE

SALE BY AUCTION OF MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

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Comprising: principally—Upright Cottage Pianoforte, by Ivory and Co., London; Piano Player, by The Rex Co.; handsome Mahogany Dining Suite, upholstered in Crimson Rexine, under Shades; an up-to-date NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, in perfect order; CASH TILL; Set of 6 Chippendale Chairs, on ball and claw (five and one carver), Chesterfield Suite of 3 pieces, in tapestry; an excellent 4' Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet, fitted; Mahogany Inlaid China Cabinet, another Chippendale type ditto, Sheraton Sideboard, DRAWINGROOM and DININGROOM SUITES, in various styles and coverings. BEDROOM FURNISHINGS include—Several Suites, in mahogany, burr walnut, dark and satin walnut, oak and stained woods; Single and Double Wardrobes, with bevel plate mirror doors, Dressing Chests, Mahogany Cheval Glass, Washstands, Chests of Drawers, etc.; several Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Lofty Glass-back and Plain-back Sideboards, Cabinets, etc.; Hall Stands and Chairs, Overmantels; All-Brass, Black and Brass and Wooden Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Bedding, and Bed Furnishings, Engravings, China, Glass and Ornamental Items; one Case containing one Gross Toilet Rolls; Kitchen Tables, Chairs, Mangles, Dressers, Presses, Pots, Pans, Culinary Utensils; Gramophones, Crystal Sets, Typewriters, etc., etc.

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VERY SUPERIOR AND COMMODIOUS SEMI-DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE.

VACANT POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

16 LEESON PARK.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION at our Property Mart Rooms, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, at One o'clock sharp, on MONDAY, 31ST MAY, 1926. Held for a term of 1,000 years from 29th September, 1859, at yearly adjusted rent of £9 11/6.

The House is particularly well and substantially built, and in very good structural condition. It contains large vestibule and entrance hall, inner hall, drawing-room, diningroom, study and large shelved pantry, all on hall floor; wide, easy staircase. Upstairs are 5 family bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., and linen closet. There is a large, airy, entirely overground basement, containing kitchen, scullery, pantries, coal cellar, breakfast room, and maid's room. Granite steps from back hall to garden; side door entrance to yard with side door to house, and Grove Field adjoining, containing about 9¼ acres (more or less), held in fee, subject to the proportion of annuity, £4, with very useful buildings, stables, barns, etc.

LOT 3.—The "River Field," adjoining, containing about 4¼ acres (more or less), held in fee, subject to the proportion of annuity, £2.

The Sale of this attractive Property, with Vacant Possession, is deserving of the attention of Investors or of those desiring a Residence enjoying an unique situation, standing in the centre of a district famous for its hunting, fishing, and shooting opportunities. The Premises are in excellent order, and the outgoings exceptionally low.

Sale on the Premises at 12 o'clock. Orders to View and further particulars from

Messrs. W. GLEST LANE and CO., Solicitors, Cork, having Carriage of Sale.

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ARDREIGH HOUSE AND LANDS,

ARDREIGH MILLS, FARM OF LAND SITUATE CLOSE TO ATHY, ALSO ATHY MILLS AND OTHER PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF ATHY.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION on WEDNESDAY, MAY 26th, 1926, at the TOWN HALL, ATHY, CO. KILDARE, at the hour of 12 o'clock.

LOT 1.—Ardreigh House, with gate lodge, out-offices, and garden, together with 2 other private residences standing on 6 acres 2 roods 17 perches, held under fee farm grant, subject to apportioned rents amounting to £41 10s. 9d. per annum.

Ardreigh House, beautifully situated, inside a sunk fence, within one mile of Athy, commanding splendid views of hill and vale, is an ideal residential property. It is approached from main road (Athy-Carlow) by a neat drive, through planted lawn. The residence contains spacious porch and hall, drawingroom, diningroom, study, breakfast room, 5 large bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s, servant's room, kitchen, scullery, laundry, pantries, and a very fine conservatory. There is a first-class tennis court, and a well-arranged vegetable and fruit garden.

The two private residences, owing to their proximity to Athy, can always command good rents. The estimated letting value is £42, thus leaving Ardreigh House and Lands free of rent.

LOT 2.—Ardreigh Mills, held under fee farm grant, subject to apportioned rents amounting to £51 19s. 3d. There is an additional small plot of land adjoining Mills held under lease for an unexpired term of 812 years at 5/- per annum.

These well-known Flour Mills, alongside Grand Canal, are thoroughly equipped with modern machinery, including 100 h.p. Rustin and Hornsby Engine (1920), together with a 50 h.p. water wheel. The estimated concrete floor, at 10 to 12 barrels of corn, with a 5 sack roller plant. It is up to date and wired throughout for electricity from its own dynamo.

LOT 3.—Farm of Land, comprising part of the lands of Ardreigh, containing 50 acres, statute measure, or thereabouts, held under fee farm grant, subject to apportioned rents amounting to £31 2s. 3d. per annum. Poor Law Valuation £39. There are eight good cottages on the lands, estimated to produce a sum of £15/16 per week, or £35 yearly, thus more than clearing the rent. There is a comfortable farm house, with extensive stone-built and slated out-offices in centre of farm, which is divided into 6 fields, 3 of which are ploughed and almost ready for sowing; remainder in grass. This farm adjoins the main road and is really in the very best heart and condition.

LOT 4.—Athy Mills and Fishery, in town of Athy, situated at Cromaboo Bridge. These are extensive and in good order, held under lease for 21 years from 25th March, 1920, at the yearly rent of £110.

LOT 5.—Large Store in Duke street, adjoining Lot 4, held under lease for 31 years from 1st March, 1899, at the yearly rent of £10. This store, being in centre of town, fronting Main street, is most suitable for a garage.

LOT 6.—Premises, with entrance from Main street, comprising large yard and stores close to Lots 4 and 5, held under lease for 99 years, from 1st December, 1838, at the yearly rent of £13 0s. 0d.

LOT 7.—Large Stores in Nelson street, on Grand Canal, held under lease for 99 years from 25th March, 1898, at the yearly rent of £3 6s. 2d.

For Conditions of Sale and further particulars apply to

BARRINGTON and SON, Solicitors, having carriage of Sale, 10 Ely place, Dublin; or to

MICHAEL ANTHONY, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer and Valuer, Riverview, Athy.

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Sheets sent free to consignors on application.

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Wool packs on Application.

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SALES BY PRIVATE TREATY.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

1925. No. 15132.

In the Matter of

MAUNSEL AND ROBERTS, LIMITED.

Between

THE IRISH NATIONAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, on behalf of themselves, and all others the holders of a First Mortgage Debenture for £4,485, Plaintiffs;

and

MAUNSEL AND ROBERTS, LIMITED, Defendants.

SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY, pursuant to an Order of the above Court, giving liberty to the Receiver and Manager to Sell by Private Treaty the Business and Undertaking, including the Leasehold Premises, Stock-in-Trade, Plant and Machinery, and Copyrights of the Defendant Company, as a Going Concern.

ALL OFFERS are to be enclosed in a sealed envelope, marked "Maunsel and Roberts, Ltd., Tender," and sent, if by post, prepaid to James O'Connor and Company, 1 Dame street, Dublin, Solicitors for the Plaintiffs, and should reach them not later than five o'clock on Monday, the seventh day of June, 1926.

ALL OFFERS are subject to the approval of the Court, and to the Conditions of Sale which have already been prepared, copies of which can be obtained on application to the above-mentioned Solicitors, and will be submitted to the Court, unopened, by the said Solicitors, as soon as possible after the said seventh day of June, 1926.

THE PREMISES in which the said business is carried on comprise large and particularly well-fitted shop, with ornate shelving and glass door cases, counter, etc., with good storage and cellarage underneath; concrete floor; at rear of shop is a well-built machine shop, with good roof light, used as a case room and composing room, with staircase from same to gallery leading to the first floor of house. At the rear of the machine shop is a large store, with brick floor and rear entrance to James's lane, with large room over same, used as a stereo and monotype room; electric light throughout, and lavatory. A separate hall entrance leads to 2 drawingrooms, which are also approached by the staircase from the machine room; 2 good rooms on the second floor, 2 rooms on the top floor, also kitchenette and w.c. The premises are in good structural repair throughout. Head rent, £60. Lease 14 years.

MACHINERY AND PLANT.

Monotype installation, consisting of 3 D key-boards, 2 casters, display type attachment, 6 moulds, 5 display moulds, 8 sets of matrices; 1 Quad Demy Wharfdale, 1 Payne Double Royal, 1 Double Crown (Dawson), 1 Victoria Crown Folio Platen, 2 Wire Stitchers, 3 Imposing Surfaces, 2 Composing Frames, with Cases; quantity display and book fount types; about 4 tons standing type, galleys, rack to hold 368 galleys, overtype; 4 h.p. plant, large quantity of plates and moulds for publications and customers' jobs, 5 electric motors.

STOCK IN TRADE.

Book Stocks, consisting of: Books (bound or in sheets) by well-known Irish authors; miscellaneous and stationery stocks, consisting of envelopes, exercise books, note books, pass books, receipt books, correspondence cards,